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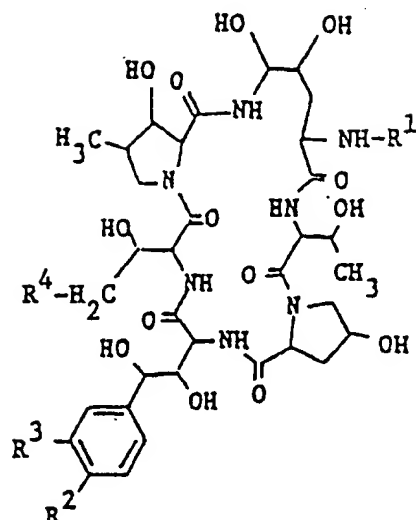
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(54) Cyclic polypeptide with antibiologic activity, process for its preparation and pure culture of a Coelomycetes strain.

(57) A polypeptide compound of the following general formula :

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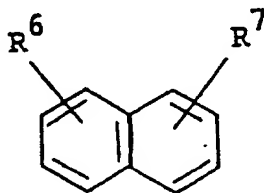
wherein

- R<sup>1</sup> is hydrogen or acyl group,
- R<sup>2</sup> is hydroxy or acyloxy,
- R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen or hydroxysulfonyloxy, and
- R<sup>4</sup> is hydrogen or carbamoyl,

with proviso that

- (i) R<sup>2</sup> is acyloxy, when R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen, and
- (ii) R<sup>1</sup> is not palmitoyl, when R<sup>2</sup> is hydroxy,
- R<sup>3</sup> is hydroxysulfonyloxy and
- R<sup>4</sup> is carbamoyl,

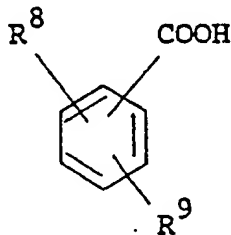
and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, processes for their preparation and pharmaceutical compositions comprising them. The invention relates also to intermediates of the formula



wherein

- R<sup>6</sup> is (C<sub>4</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, higher alkoxy or higher alkenyloxy, and
- R<sup>7</sup> is -COOH or -SO<sub>3</sub>H,

or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof and



Wherein

- R<sup>8</sup> is 1 to 4 halogen, and

$R^9$  is lower alkoxy which has one or more halogen, higher alkoxy which has one or more halogen, or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof. The invention also relates to a biologically pure culture of the microorganism *Coelomycetes* strain F-11899 (FERM BP-2635).

The present invention relates to new polypeptide compound and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

More particularly, it relates to new polypeptide compound and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, which have antimicrobial activities (especially antifungal activities), to a process for preparation thereof, to pharmaceutical composition comprising the same, and to a method for treating or preventing infectious diseases in human being or animals.

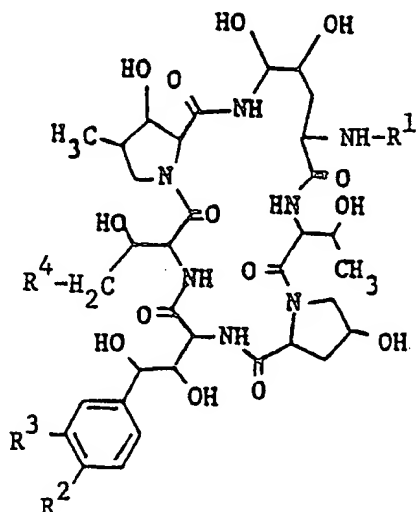
Accordingly, one object of the present invention is to provide the polypeptide compound and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, which are highly active against a number of pathogenic microorganisms in human being and animals.

Another object of the present invention is to provide a process for the preparation of the polypeptide compound and a salt thereof.

A further object of the present invention is to provide a pharmaceutical composition comprising, as an active ingredient, said polypeptide compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

Still further object of the present invention is to provide a method for treating or preventing infectious diseases caused by pathogenic microorganisms, which comprises administering said polypeptide compound to human being or animals.

The object polypeptide compound of the present invention is novel and can be represented by the following general formula [I] :



[I]

wherein

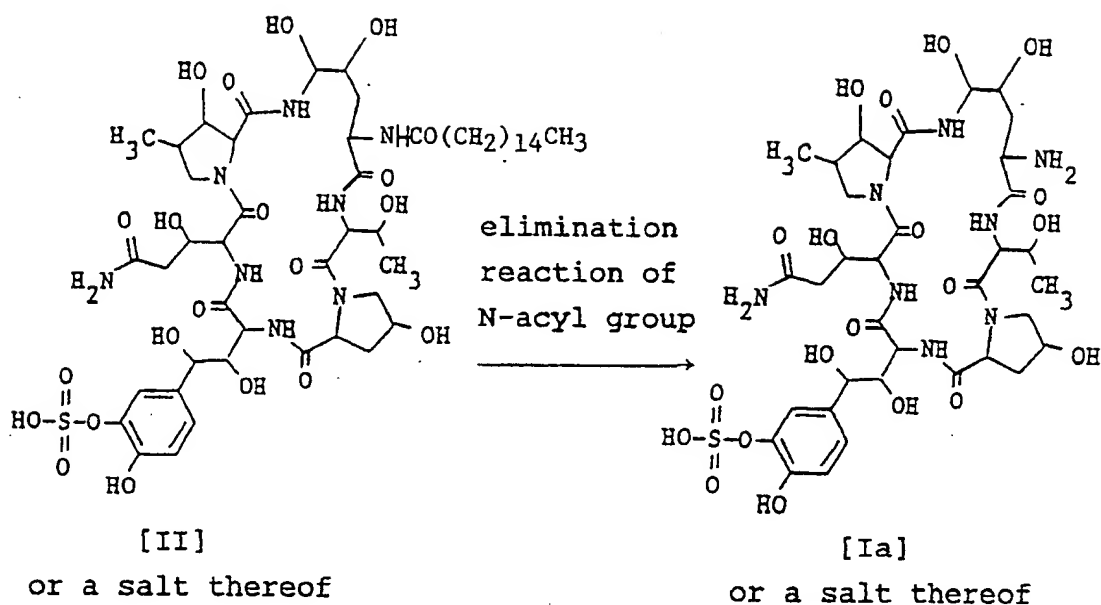
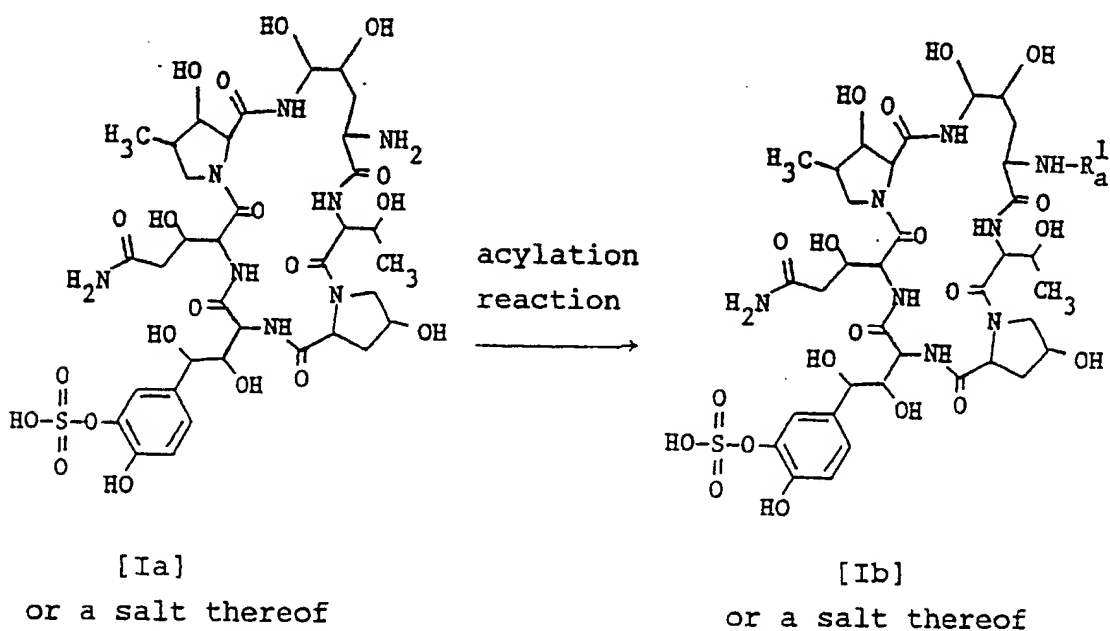
- R<sup>1</sup> is hydrogen or acyl group,
- R<sup>2</sup> is hydroxy or acyloxy,
- R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen or hydroxysulfonyloxy, and
- R<sup>4</sup> is hydrogen or carbamoyl,

with proviso that

- (i) R<sup>2</sup> is acyloxy, when R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen, and
- (ii) R<sup>1</sup> is not palmitoyl, when R<sup>2</sup> is hydroxy, R<sup>3</sup> is hydroxysulfonyloxy and R<sup>4</sup> is carbamoyl.

The polypeptide compound [I] of the present invention can be prepared by the processes as illustrated in the following schemes.



Process 1Process 2

Process 3

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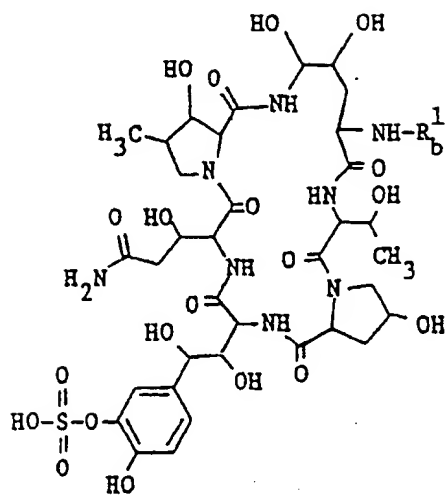
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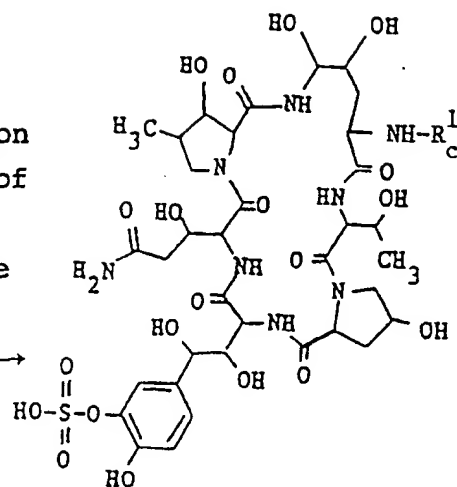
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elimination  
reaction of  
amino  
protective  
group

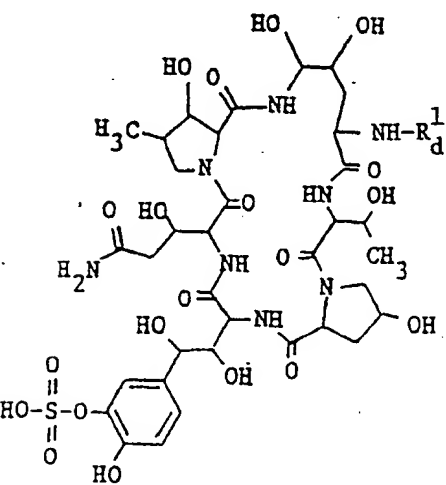


[Ic]

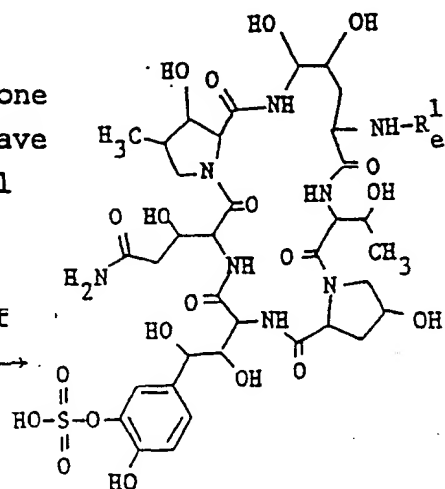
or a salt thereof

[Id]

or a salt thereof

Process 4

Pyridinethione  
which may have  
higher alkyl  
[III]  
or a salt  
thereof

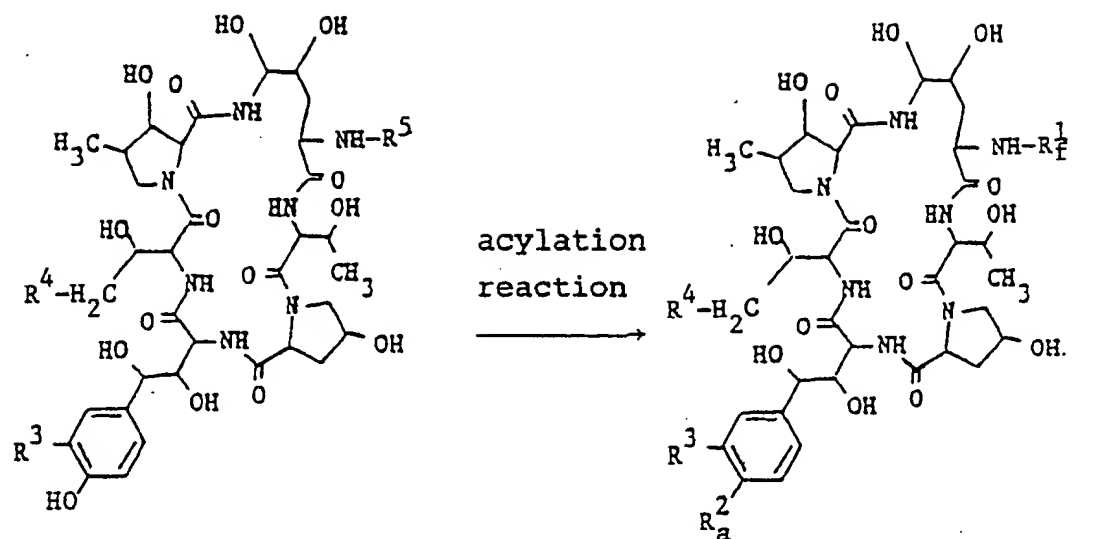


[Ie]

or a salt thereof

[If]

or a salt thereof

Process 5

[IV]

or a salt thereof

[Ig]

or a salt thereof

wherein

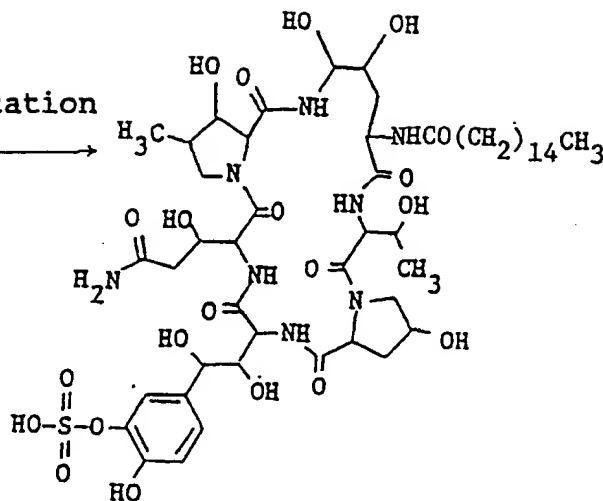
- R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> are each as defined above,  
 R<sub>a</sub><sup>1</sup> is acyl group exclusive of palmitoyl,  
 R<sub>b</sub><sup>1</sup> is ar(lower)alkanoyl which has higher alkoxy and protected amino,  
 R<sub>c</sub><sup>1</sup> is ar(lower)alkanoyl which has higher alkoxy and amino,  
 R<sub>d</sub><sup>1</sup> is halo(lower)alkanoyl,  
 R<sub>e</sub><sup>1</sup> is pyridylthio(lower)alkanoyl which may have higher alkyl,  
 R<sub>f</sub><sup>1</sup> is acyl group,  
 R<sub>a</sub><sup>2</sup> is acyloxy, and  
 R<sup>5</sup> is acyl group.

The starting compound [II] or a salt thereof is novel and can be prepared by the following fermentation process.

Process A

A strain belonging to the Coleophoma which is capable of producing the compound [II] or a salt thereof

fermentation



[II]

or a salt thereof

Some of the starting compound [IV] are novel and can be prepared according to the aforesaid Process 1 to 4.

Suitable pharmaceutically acceptable salt of the object compound [I] is conventional non-toxic mono or di salts and include a metal salt such as an alkali metal salt [e.g. sodium salt, potassium salt, etc.] and an alkaline earth metal salt [e.g. calcium salt, magnesium salt, etc.], an ammonium salt, an organic base salt [e.g. trimethylamine salt, triethylamine salt, pyridine salt, picoline salt, dicyclohexylamine salt, N,N-dibenzylethylenediamine salt, etc.] an organic acid addition salt [e.g. formate, acetate, trifluoroacetate, maleate, tartrate, methanesulfonate, benzenesulfonate, toluenesulfonate, etc.], an inorganic acid addition salt [e.g. hydrochloride, hydrobromide, hydroiodide, sulfate, phosphate, etc.], a salt with an amino acid [e.g. arginine salt, aspartic acid salt, glutamic acid salt, etc.], and the like.

In the above and subsequent description of this specification, suitable examples of the various definitions are explained in detail as follows :

The term "lower" is intended to mean 1 to 6 carbon atom(s), unless otherwise indicated.

The term "higher" is intended to mean 7 to 20 carbon atoms, unless otherwise indicated.

Suitable "acyl group" may be aliphatic acyl, aromatic acyl, heterocyclic acyl, arylaliphatic acyl and heterocyclic-aliphatic acyl derived from carboxylic acid, carbonic acid, carbamic acid, sulfonic acid, and the like.

Suitable example of the "acyl group" thus explained may be :

lower alkanoyl [e.g. formyl, acetyl, propionyl, butyryl, isobutyryl, valeryl, hexanoyl, pivaloyl, etc.] which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) such as halogen (e.g. fluoro, chloro, bromo, iodo); aryl (e.g. phenyl, naphthyl, anthryl, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like hydroxy, higher alkoxy as explained below, aforesaid aryl, or the like; lower alkoxy as explained below; amino; protected amino, preferably, acylamino such as lower alkoxycarbonylamino (e.g. methoxycarbonylamino, ethoxycarbonylamino, propoxycarbonylamino, butoxycarbonylamino, t-butoxycarbonylamino, pentyloxycarbonylamino, hexyloxycarbonylamino, etc.); or the like; di(lower)alkylamino (e.g. dimethylamino, N-methylethylamino, diethylamino, N-propylbutylamino, dipentylamino, dihexylamino, etc.); lower alkoxyimino (e.g. methoxyimino, ethoxyimino, propoxyimino, butoxyimino, t-butoxyimino, pentyloxymino, hexyloxymino, etc.); ar(lower)alkoxyimino such as phenyl(lower)alkoxyimino (e.g. benzyloxyimino, phenethyloxyimino, benzhydryloxyimino, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like higher alkoxy as explained below, or the like; heterocyclicthio, preferably, pyridylthio, which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like higher alkyl (e.g. heptyl, octyl, 2-ethylhexyl, nonyl, decyl, 3,7-dimethyloctyl, undecyl, dodecyl, tridecyl, tetradecyl, pentadecyl, 3-methyl-10-

ethyldodecyl, hexadecyl, heptadecyl, octadecyl, nonadecyl, icosyl, etc.), or the like; heterocyclic group (e.g. thienyl, imidazolyl, pyrazolyl, furyl, tetrazolyl, thiazolyl, thiadiazolyl, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like amino, aforesaid protected amino, aforesaid higher alkyl, or the like; or the like;

- 5 higher alkanoyl [e.g. heptanoyl, octanoyl, nonanoyl, decanoyl, undecanoyl, lauroyl, tridecanoyl, myristoyl, pentadecanoyl, palmitoyl, 10,12-dimethyltetradecanoyl, heptadecanoyl, stearoyl, nonadecanoyl, icosanoyl, etc.];

lower alkenoyl [e.g. acryloyl, methacryloyl, crotonoyl, 3-pentenoyl, 5-hexenoyl, etc.] which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) such as aforesaid aryl which may have one or more

- 10 (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like higher alkoxy as explained below, or the like, or the like;

higher alkenoyl [e.g. 4-heptenoyl, 3-octenoyl, 3,6-decadienoyl, 3,7,11-trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrienoyl, 4,10-heptadecadienoyl, etc.];

lower alkoxy carbonyl [e.g. methoxycarbonyl, ethoxycarbonyl, propoxycarbonyl, butoxycarbonyl, t-butoxycarbonyl, pentyloxy carbonyl, hexyloxy carbonyl, etc.];

- 15 higher alkoxy carbonyl [e.g. heptyloxy carbonyl, octyloxy carbonyl, 2-ethylhexyloxy carbonyl, nonyloxy carbonyl, decyloxy carbonyl, 3,7-dimethyloctyloxy carbonyl, undecyloxy carbonyl, dodecyloxy carbonyl, tridecyloxy carbonyl, tetradecyloxy carbonyl, pentadecyloxy carbonyl, 3-methyl-10-ethyldodecyloxy carbonyl, hexadecyloxy carbonyl, heptadecyloxy carbonyl, octadecyloxy carbonyl, nonadecyloxy carbonyl, icosyloxy carbonyl, etc.];

- 20 aryloxy carbonyl [e.g. phenoxy carbonyl, naphthyl oxy carbonyl, etc.];

arylglyoxyloyl [e.g. phenylglyoxyloyl, naphthylglyoxyloyl, etc.];

ar(lower)alkoxy carbonyl which may have one or more suitable substituent(s) such as phenyl(lower)alkoxy carbonyl which may have nitro or lower alkoxy [e.g. benzyloxy carbonyl, phenethyl oxy carbonyl, p-nitrobenzyloxy carbonyl, p-methoxybenzyloxy carbonyl, etc.];

- 25 lower alkylsulfonyl [e.g. methylsulfonyl, ethylsulfonyl, propylsulfonyl, isopropylsulfonyl, pentylsulfonyl, butylsulfonyl, etc.];

arylsulfonyl [e.g. phenylsulfonyl, naphthylsulfonyl, etc.] which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) such as lower alkyl as explained below, higher alkoxy as explained below, or the like;

- 30 ar(lower)alkylsulfonyl such as phenyl(lower)alkylsulfonyl [e.g. benzylsulfonyl, phenethylsulfonyl, benzhydriylsulfonyl, etc.], or the like;

aroyl [e.g. benzoyl, naphthoyl, anthryl carbonyl, etc.] which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 5) suitable substituent(s) such as aforesaid halogen; lower alkyl (e.g. methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, t-butyl, pentyl, hexyl, etc.); aforesaid higher alkyl; lower alkoxy (e.g. methoxy, ethoxy, propoxy, butoxy, t-butoxy, pentyloxy, hexyloxy, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 10) suitable substituent(s) like

35 aforesaid lower alkoxy, aforesaid halogen, aforesaid aryl, or the like; higher alkoxy (e.g. heptyloxy, octyloxy, 2-ethylhexyloxy, nonyloxy, decyloxy, 3,7-dimethyloctyloxy, undecyloxy, dodecyloxy, tridecyloxy, tetradecyloxy, pentadecyloxy, 3-methyl-10-ethyldodecyloxy, hexadecyloxy, heptadecyloxy, octadecyloxy, nonadecyloxy, icosyloxy, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 17) suitable substituent(s) like aforesaid halogen; higher alkenyloxy (e.g. 3-heptenyloxy, 7-octenyloxy, 2,6-octadienyloxy, 5-nonenyloxy, 1-decenyloxy, 3,7-dimethyl-6-octenyloxy, 3,7-dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy, 8-undecenyl oxy, 3,6,8-dodecatrienyl oxy, 5-tridecenyl oxy, 7-tetradecenyl oxy, 1,8-pentadecadienyloxy, 15-hexadecenyl oxy, 11-heptadecenyl oxy, 7-octadecenyl oxy, 10-nonadecenyl oxy, 18-icosenyloxy, etc.); carboxy; aforesaid aryl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like aforesaid higher alkoxy; aryloxy (e.g. phenoxy, naphthyl oxy, anthryloxy, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like aforesaid lower alkoxy, or aforesaid higher alkoxy; or the like; or the like.

- 45 In said "acyl group", the preferred one may be lower alkanoyl; halo(lower)alkanoyl;

ar(lower)alkanoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) hydroxy, lower alkoxy, higher alkoxy, aryl, amino, protected amino, di(lower)alkylamino, lower alkoxyimino or ar(lower)alkoxyimino which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) higher alkoxy;

- 50 heterocyclicthio(lower)alkanoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) higher alkyl;

heterocyclic(lower)alkanoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) lower alkoxyimino, higher alkyl, amino or protected amino;

ar(lower)alkoxyimino(lower)alkanoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) higher alkoxy; higher alkanoyl;

- 55 ar(lower)alkanoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) higher alkoxy;

higher alkenoyl; lower alkoxy carbonyl; higher alkoxy carbonyl; aryloxy carbonyl;

arylsulfonyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) lower alkyl or higher alkoxy;

aroyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 5) halogen, lower alkyl, higher alkyl, carboxy, lower

- alkoxy which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 10) halogen, lower alkoxy(lower)alkoxy, ar(lower)alkoxy, higher alkoxy which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 17) halogen, higher alkenyloxy, aryl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) higher alkoxy or aryloxy which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) lower alkoxy or higher alkoxy;
- 5 in which the more preferred one may be lower alkanoyl; halo(lower)alkanoyl; phenyl(lower)alkanoyl or naphthyl(lower)alkanoyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 hydroxy, lower alkoxy, higher alkoxy, phenyl, amino, lower alkoxycarbonylamino, di(lower)alkylamino, lower alkoxyimino, or phenyl-(lower)alkoxyimino which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy; pyridylthio(lower)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkyl;
- 10 imidazolyl(lower)alkanoyl or thiazolyl(lower)alkanoyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 lower alkoxyimino, higher alkyl, amino or lower alkoxycarbonylamino; phenyl(lower)alkoxyimino(lower)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy; higher alkanoyl; phenyl(lower)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy;
- 15 higher alkenoyl; lower alkoxycarbonyl, higher alkoxycarbonyl; phenoxycarbonyl; phenylsulfonyl or naphthylsulfonyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 lower alkyl or higher alkoxy; benzoyl, naphthoyl or anthrylcarbonyl, each of which may have 1 to 5 halogen, lower alkyl, higher alkyl, carboxy, lower alkoxy which may have 6 to 10 halogen, lower alkoxy(lower)alkoxy, phenyl(lower)alkoxy, higher alkoxy which may have 12 to 17 halogen, higher alkenyloxy, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 higher
- 20 alkoxy, phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 lower alkoxy or higher alkoxy; the much more preferred one may be (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl; halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl; phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 hydroxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl, amino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxycarbonylamino, di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkylamino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxyimino or phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxyimino which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy;
- 25 naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxycarbonylamino; 1-(C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkylpyridiniothio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl; imidazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkyl or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxycarbonylamino; thiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxyimino or amino; phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxyimino(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy;
- 30 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>17</sub>)alkyl; phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy; (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>18</sub>)alkenoyl; (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl; (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl; phenoxycarbonyl; phenylsulfonyl which may have (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkyl or (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy; naphthylsulfonyl which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy;
- 35 benzoyl which may have 1 to 5 halogen, (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkyl, carboxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy which may have 6 to 10 halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl(C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy which may have 12 to 17 halogen, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy or phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy or (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy; naphthoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkoxy or (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>)alkenyloxy;
- 40 anthrylcarbonyl; and the most preferred one may be acetyl, 2-bromoacetyl, 2-(4-biphenyl)acetyl, 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-acetyl, 3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl, 2-amino-2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-(t-butoxycarbonylamino)-2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-amino-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl, 2-(t-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl, 2-dimethylamino-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl, 2-(t-butoxycarbonylamino)-2-(2-naphthyl)acetyl, 2-methoxy-2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-methoxyimino-2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)-2-phenylacetyl, 2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetyl, 2-(1-octyl-4-pyridinio)thioacetyl, 2-methoxyimino-2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)acetyl, 2-(t-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-(1-octyl-4-imidazolyl)propionyl, 3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acryloyl, 3,7,11-trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrienoyl, t-butoxycarbonyl, octyloxycarbonyl, phenoxycarbonyl, p-tolylsulfonyl, 4-octyloxyphenylsulfonyl, 6-octyloxy-2-naphthylsulfonyl, 4-(t-butyl)benzoyl, 4-octylbenzoyl, 2,3,5,6-tetrafluoro-4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentyl)benzoyl, 4-(2-butoxyethoxy)benzoyl, 4-(4-phenylbutoxy)benzoyl, 4-octyloxybenzoyl, 2-carboxy-4-octyloxybenzoyl, 3-methoxy-4-octyloxybenzoyl, 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8-pentadecafluorooctyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoyl, 4-(4-octyloxyphenyl)benzoyl, 4-(4-octyloxyphenoxy)benzoyl, 6-butoxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-hexyloxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-octyloxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-(2-ethylhexyloxy)-2-naphthoyl, 6-decyloxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-(3,7-dimethyloctyloxy)-2-naphthoyl, 6-dodecyloxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-(3,7-dimethyl-6-octenyloxy)-2-naphthoyl, 6-(3,7-dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy)-2-naphthoyl, 2-anthrylcarbonyl, 4-(4-heptyloxyphenyl)-benzoyl and 4-(4-hexyloxyphenoxy)benzoyl.
- 55 Suitable "acyl group exclusive of palmitoyl" can be referred to the ones is exemplified before for "acyl

group" except palmitoyl.

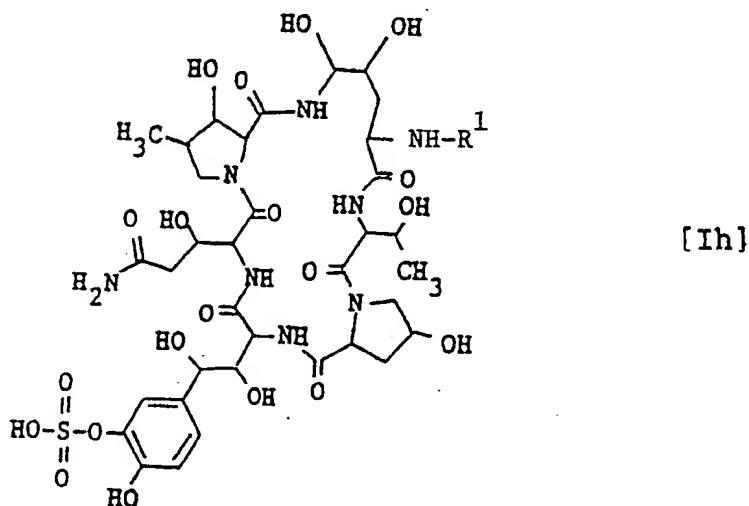
Suitable "ar(lower)alkanoyl" moiety in "ar(lower)alkanoyl which has higher alkoxy and protected amino" and "ar(lower)alkanoyl which has higher alkoxy and amino" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group" and suitable examples of the substituent(s) "higher alkoxy" and "protected amino" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group".

Suitable "halo(lower)alkanoyl" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group".

Suitable "pyridylthio(lower)alkanoyl" in "pyridylthio(lower)alkanoyl which may have higher alkyl" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group", and suitable examples of the substituent "higher alkyl" can be exemplified before for "acyl group".

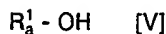
Suitable "acyloxy" may include hydroxysulfonyloxy, phosphonoxy, and the like.

In the object compound [I] thus defined, the following compound [Ih] is especially preferable.



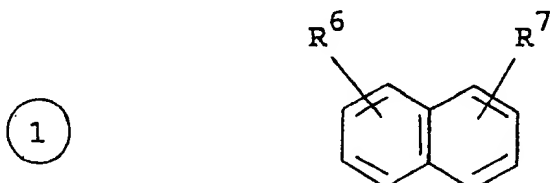
wherein  $R^1$  is hydrogen or acyl group,  
with proviso that  $R^1$  is not palmitoyl.

Suitable "acylating agent" for the acylation reaction is Process 2 may be an acid compound corresponding to the acyl group to be introduced or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof and suitable example of said acylating agent is represented by the formula :



wherein  $R_a^1$  is as defined above,  
or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof.

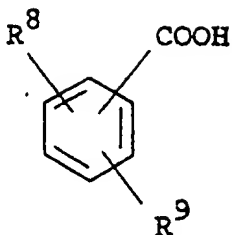
In the compound [V], the following compounds are novel.



[V-1]

or its reactive derivative  
at the carboxy group  
or a salt thereof

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[V-2]

or its reactive derivative  
at the carboxy group  
or a salt thereof

wherein

R<sup>6</sup> is lower alkoxy, higher alkoxy or higher alkenyloxy,

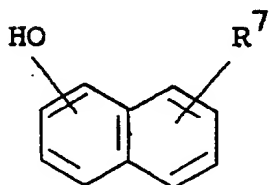
R<sup>7</sup> is -COOH or -SO<sub>3</sub>H,

R<sup>8</sup> is 1 to 4 halogen,

R<sup>9</sup> is lower alkoxy which has one or more halogen, higher alkoxy which has one or more halogen.

The compounds [V-1] and [V-2] can be prepared by the following processes.

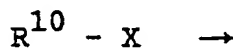
Process B



[VI]

or a salt thereof

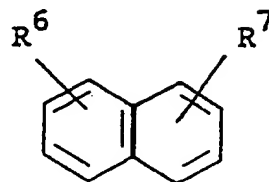
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[VII]

or a salt thereof

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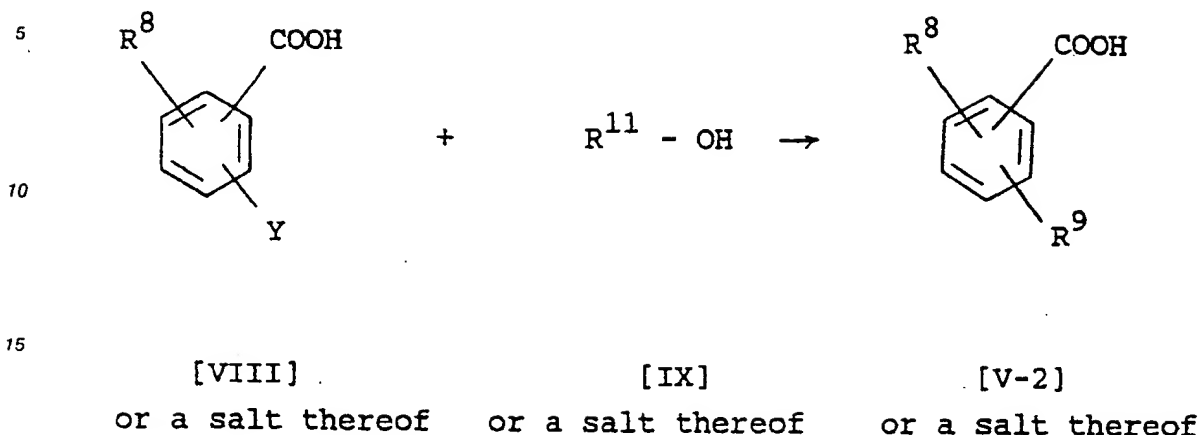


[V-1]

or a salt thereof



### Process C



20 wherein

R<sup>6</sup>, R<sup>7</sup>, R<sup>8</sup> and R<sup>9</sup> are each as defined above,  
R<sup>10</sup> is lower alkyl, higher alkyl or higher alkenyl,  
R<sup>11</sup> is lower alkyl which has one or more halogen or higher alkyl which has one or more halogen, and

25 X and Y are each a leaving group.

In the above definitions, suitable "lower alkoxy", "higher alkoxy", "higher alkenyloxy", "halogen", "lower alkyl" and "higher alkyl" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before.

Suitable "higher alkenyl" may include 3-heptenyl, 7-octenyl, 2,6-octadienyl, 5-nonenyl, 1-decenyl, 3,7-dimethyl-6-octenyl, 3,7-dimethyl-2,6-octadienyl, 8-undecenyl, 3,6,8-dodecatrienyl, 5-tridecenyl, 7-tetradecenyl, 1,8-pentadecadienyl, 15-hexadecenyl, 11-heptadecenyl, 7-octadecenyl, 10-nonadecenyl, 18-icosenyl and the like, in which the preferred one may be (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkenyl.

As for R<sup>9</sup>, "lower alkoxy" has one or more (preferably 1 to 10, more preferably 6 to 10) halogen, and "higher alkoxy" has one or more (preferably 1 to 17, more preferably 12 to 17) halogen.

As for R<sup>11</sup>, "lower alkyl" has one or more (preferably 1 to 10, more preferably 6 to 10) halogen, and "higher alkyl" has one or more (preferably 1 to 17, more preferably 12 to 17) halogen.

As for R<sup>6</sup>, preferred "lower alkoxy" may be (C<sub>4</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy.

Suitable "a leaving group" may include aforesaid halogen, lower alkanoyloxy (e.g. acetoxy, etc.), sulfonyloxy (e.g. mesyloxy, tosyloxy, etc.), and the like.

Regarding suitable salts and the reactive derivatives at the carboxy group of the compounds [V-1] and [V-2], they can be referred to the ones as exemplified below for the compound [V].

The reactions in Processes B and C can be carried out according to the methods disclosed later in Preparations of the present specification or the similar manners thereto.

In the compound [V], there are other novel compounds than compounds [V-1] and [V-2], and they can be prepared, for example, by the methods disclosed later in Preparations.

45 Suitable "pyridinethione" in Process 4 may include 1,2-dihydropyridine-2-thione, 1,4-dihydropyridine-4-thione, and the like, and said "pyridinethione" may have aforesaid "higher alkyl".

The processes for preparing the object compound [I] or a salt thereof of the present invention are explained in detail in the following.

50    Process 1

The object compound [Ia] or a salt thereof can be prepared by subjecting a compound [II] or a salt thereof to elimination reaction of N-acyl group.

This reaction is carried out in accordance with a conventional method such as hydrolysis, reduction,  
55 reaction with an enzyme or the like.

The hydrolysis is preferably carried out in the presence of a base or an acid including Lewis acid. Suitable base may include an inorganic base and an organic base such as an alkali metal [e.g. sodium, potassium, etc.], an alkaline earth metal [e.g. magnesium, calcium, etc.], the hydroxide or carbonate or

bicarbonate thereof, trialkylamine [e.g. trimethylamine, triethylamine, etc.], picoline, 1,5-diazabicyclo[4.3.0]-non-5-ene, 1,4-diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane, 1,8-diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene, or the like.

Suitable acid may include an organic acid [e.g. formic acid, acetic acid, propionic acid, trichloroacetic acid, trifluoroacetic acid, etc.] and an inorganic acid [e.g. hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, sulfuric acid, hydrogen chloride, hydrogen bromide, etc.]. The elimination using Lewis acid such as trihaloacetic acid [e.g. trichloroacetic acid, trifluoroacetic acid, etc.] or the like is preferably carried out in the presence of cation trapping agents [e.g. anisole, phenol, etc.].

The reaction is usually carried out in a solvent such as water, an alcohol [e.g. methanol, ethanol, etc.], methylene chloride, tetrahydrofuran, a mixture thereof or any other solvent which does not adversely influence the reaction. A liquid base or acid can be also used as the solvent. The reaction temperature is not critical and the reaction is usually carried out under cooling to warming.

The reduction method applicable for the elimination reaction may include chemical reduction and catalytic reduction.

Suitable reducing agents to be used in chemical reduction are a combination of metal [e.g. tin, zinc, iron, etc.] or metallic compound [e.g. chromium chloride, chromium acetate, etc.] and an organic or inorganic acid [e.g. formic acid, acetic acid, propionic acid, trifluoroacetic acid, p-toluenesulfonic acid, hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, etc.].

Suitable catalysts to be used in catalytic reduction are conventional ones such as platinum catalysts [e.g. platinum plate, spongy platinum, platinum black, colloidal platinum, platinum oxide, platinum wire, etc.], palladium catalysts [e.g. spongy palladium, palladium black, palladium oxide, palladium on carbon, colloidal palladium, palladium on barium sulfate, palladium on barium carbonate, etc.], nickel catalysts [e.g. reduced nickel, nickel oxide, Raney nickel, etc.], cobalt catalysts [e.g. reduced cobalt, Raney cobalt, etc.], iron catalysts [e.g. reduced iron, Raney iron, etc.], copper catalysts [e.g. reduced copper, Raney copper, Ullman copper, etc.] and the like.

The reduction is usually carried out in a conventional solvent which does not adversely influence the reaction such as water, methanol, ethanol, propanol, N,N-dimethylformamide, or a mixture thereof. Additionally, in case that the above-mentioned acids to be used in chemical reduction are in liquid, they can also be used as a solvent. Further, a suitable solvent to be used in catalytic reduction may be the above-mentioned solvent, and other conventional solvent such as diethyl ether, dioxane, tetrahydrofuran, etc., or a mixture thereof.

The reaction temperature of this reduction is not critical and the reaction is usually carried out under cooling to warming.

The reaction with an enzyme can be carried out by reacting the compound [II] or a salt thereof with an enzyme suitable for the elimination reaction of N-acyl group.

Suitable example of said enzyme may include the one produced by certain microorganisms of the Actinoplanaceae, for example, *Actinoplanes utahensis* IFO-13244, *Actinoplanes utahensis* ATCC 12301, *Actinoplanes missouriensis* NRRL 12053, or the like; and the like.

This elimination reaction is usually carried out in a solvent such as phosphate buffer, Tris-HCl buffer or any other solvent which does not adversely influence the reaction.

The reaction temperature is not critical and the reaction can be carried out at room temperature or under warming.

## Process 2

The object compound [Ib] or a salt thereof can be prepared by subjecting the compound [Ia] or a salt thereof to acylation reaction.

The acylation reaction of this process can be carried out by reacting the compound [Ia] or a salt thereof with aforesaid "acylating agent", for example, the compound [V] or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof.

Suitable reactive derivative at the carboxy group of the compound [V] may include an acid halide, an acid anhydride, an activated amide, an activated ester, and the like. Suitable examples of the reactive derivatives may be an acid chloride; an acid azide; a mixed acid anhydride with an acid such as substituted phosphoric acid [e.g. dialkylphosphoric acid, phenylphosphoric acid, diphenylphosphoric acid, dibenzylphosphoric acid, halogenated phosphoric acid, etc.], dialkylphosphorous acid, sulfurous acid, thiosulfuric acid, sulfuric acid, sulfonic acid [e.g. methanesulfonic acid, etc.], aliphatic carboxylic acid [e.g. acetic acid, propionic acid, butyric acid, isobutyric acid, pivalic acid, pentanoic acid, isopentanoic acid, 2-ethylbutyric acid, trichloroacetic acid, etc.]; or aromatic carboxylic acid [e.g. benzoic acid, etc.]; a symmetrical acid anhydride; an activated amide with imidazole, 4-substituted imidazole, dimethylpyrazole, triazole, tetrazole

or 1-hydroxy-1H-benzotriazole; or an activated ester [e.g. cyanomethyl ester, methoxymethyl ester, dimethyliminomethyl  $[(CH_3)_2N=CH-]$  ester, vinyl ester, propargyl ester, p-nitrophenyl ester, 2,4-dinitrophenyl ester, trichlorophenyl ester, pentachlorophenyl ester, mesylphenyl ester, phenylazophenyl ester, phenyl thioester, p-nitrophenyl thioester, p-cresyl thioester, carboxymethyl thioester, pyranil ester, pyridyl ester, piperidyl ester, 8-quinolyl thioester, etc.], or an ester with a N-hydroxy compound [e.g. N,N-dimethylhydroxylamine, 1-hydroxy-2-(1H)-pyridone, N-hydroxysuccinimide, N-hydroxyphthalimide, 1-hydroxy-1H-benzotriazole, etc.], and the like. These reactive derivatives can optionally be selected from them according to the kind of the compound [V] to be used.

Suitable salts of the compound [V] and its reactive derivative can be referred to the ones as exemplified for the compound [I].

The reaction is usually carried out in a conventional solvent such as water, alcohol [e.g. methanol, ethanol, etc.], acetone, dioxane, acetonitrile, chloroform, methylene chloride, ethylene chloride, tetrahydrofuran, ethyl acetate, N,N-dimethylformamide, pyridine or any other organic solvent which does not adversely influence the reaction. These conventional solvent may also be used in a mixture with water.

In this reaction, when the compound [V] is used in a free acid form or its salt form, the reaction is preferably carried out in the presence of a conventional condensing agent such as N,N'-dicyclohexylcarbodiimide; N-cyclohexyl-N'-morpholinoethylcarbodiimide; N-cyclohexyl-N'-(4-diethylaminocyclohexyl)-carbodiimide; N,N'-diethylcarbodiimide, N,N'-diisopropylcarbodiimide; N-ethyl-N'-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)-carbodiimide, N,N'-carbonylbis-(2-methylimidazole); pentamethyleneketene-N-cyclohexylimine; diphenylketene-N-cyclohexylimine; ethoxyacetylene; 1-alkoxy-1-chloroethylene; trialkyl phosphite; ethyl polyphosphate; isopropyl polyphosphate; phosphorus oxychloride (phosphoryl chloride); phosphorus trichloride; thionyl chloride; oxalyl chloride; lower alkyl haloformate [e.g. ethyl chloroformate, isopropyl chloroformate, etc.]; triphenylphosphine; 2-ethyl-7-hydroxybenzisoxazolium salt; 2-ethyl-5-(m-sulfophenyl)isoxazolium hydroxide intramolecular salt; 1-(p-chlorobenzenesulfonyloxy)-6-chloro-1H-benzotriazole; so-called Vilsmeier reagent prepared by the reaction of N,N-dimethylformamide with thionyl chloride, phosgene, trichloromethyl chloroformate, phosphorus oxychloride, methanesulfonyl chloride, etc.; or the like.

The reaction may also be carried out in the presence of an inorganic or organic base such as an alkali metal carbonate, alkali metal bicarbonate, tri(lower)alkylamine, pyridine, di(lower)alkylaminopyridine (e.g. 4-dimethylaminopyridine, etc.), N-(lower)alkylmorpholine, N,N-di(lower)alkylbenzylamine, or the like.

The reaction temperature is not critical, and the reaction is usually carried out under cooling to warming.

### Process 3

The object compound [Id] or a salt thereof can be prepared by subjecting a compound [Ic] or a salt thereof to elimination reaction of amino protective group.

Suitable salts of the compounds [Ic] and [Id] can be referred to the ones as exemplified for the compound [I].

This elimination reaction can be carried out in accordance with a conventional method as explained above for Process 1.

### Process 4

The object compound [If] or a salt thereof can be prepared by reacting a compound [Ie] or a salt thereof with a compound [III] or a salt thereof.

Suitable salt of the compound [If] can be referred to the ones as exemplified for the compound [I].

Suitable salt of the compound [III] can be referred to acid addition salts as exemplified for the compound [I].

The present reaction may be carried out in a solvent such as water, phosphate buffer, acetone, chloroform, acetonitrile, nitrobenzene, methylene chloride, ethylene chloride, formamide, N,N-dimethylformamide, methanol, ethanol, diethyl ether, tetrahydrofuran, dimethyl sulfoxide, or any other organic solvent which does not adversely affect the reaction, preferably in ones having strong polarities. Among the solvents, hydrophilic solvents may be used in a mixture with water. When the compound [III] is in liquid, it can also be used as a solvent.

The reaction is preferably conducted in the presence of a base, for example, inorganic base such as alkali metal hydroxide, alkali metal carbonate, alkali metal bicarbonate, organic base such as trialkylamine, and the like.

The reaction temperature is not critical, and the reaction is usually carried out under cooling, at room temperature, under warming or under heating.

The present reaction is preferably carried out in the presence of alkali metal halide [e.g. sodium iodide, potassium iodide, etc.], alkali metal thiocyanate [e.g. sodium thiocyanate, potassium thiocyanate, etc.] or the like.

#### 5 Process 5

The object compound [Ig] or a salt thereof can be prepared by subjecting a compound [IV] or a salt thereof to acylation reaction.

Suitable salts of the compounds [Ig] and [IV] can be referred to the ones as exemplified for the  
10 compound [I].

Suitable "acylating agent" in this Process 5 may be an acid compound corresponding to the acyl group to be introduced, for example, phosphoric acid and its derivative (e.g. phosphoryl chloride, diphenylphosphorochloridate, etc.), sulfuric acid and its derivative [e.g. sulfur trioxide-pyridine, sulfur trioxide-tri-(lower)alkylamine (e.g. trimethylamine, triethylamine, etc.), chlorosulfonic acid, etc.], or the like.

15 This reaction can be carried out in a conventional manner.

The process for preparing the starting compound [II] or a salt thereof of the present invention is explained in detail in the following.

#### Process A

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The compound [II] or a salt thereof can be prepared by the fermentation process.

The fermentation process is explained in detail in the following.

The compound [II] or a salt thereof of this invention can be produced by fermentation of the compound [II] or a salt thereof-producing strain belonging to the genus Coleophoma such as Coleophoma sp. F-11899  
25 in a nutrient medium.

#### (i) Microorganism :

Particulars of the microorganism used for producing the compound [II] or a salt thereof is explained in  
30 the following.

The strain F-11899 was originally isolated from a soil sample collected at Iwaki-shi, Fukushima-ken, Japan. This organism grew rather restrictedly on various culture media, and formed dark grey to brownish grey colonies. Anamorph (conidiomata) produced on a steam-sterilized leaf segment affixed on a Miura's LCA plate <sup>1)</sup> or a corn meal agar plate by inoculating the isolate, while neither teleomorph nor anamorph  
35 formed on the agar media. Its morphological, cultural and physiological characteristics are as follows.

Cultural characteristics on various agar media are summarized in Table 1. Cultures on potato dextrose agar grew rather rapidly, attaining 3.5-4.0 cm in diameter after two weeks at 25 °C. This colony surface was plane, felty, somewhat wrinkly and brownish grey. The colony center was pale grey to brownish grey, and covered with aerial hyphae. The reverse color was dark grey. Colonies on malt extract agar grew more  
40 restrictedly, attaining 2.5-3.0 cm in diameter under the same conditions. The surface was plane, thin to felty and olive brown. The colony center was yellowish grey, and covered with aerial hyphae. The reverse was brownish grey.

The morphological characteristics were determined on basis of the cultures on a sterilized leaf affixed to a Miura's LCA plate. Conidiomata formed on the leaf segment alone. They were pycnidial, superficial,  
45 separate, discoid to ampulliform, flattened at the base, unilocular, thin-walled, black, 90-160(-200) μm in diameter and 40-70 μm high. Ostiole was often single, circular, central, papillate, 10-30 μm in diameter and 10-20 μm high. Conidiophores formed from the lower layer of inner pycnidial walls. They were hyaline, simple or sparingly branched, septate and smooth. Conidiogenous cells were enteroblastic, phialidic, determinate, ampulliform to obpyriform, hyaline, smooth, 5-8 x 4-6 μm, with a collarette. The collarettes  
50 were campanulate to cylindrical, and 14-18 x 3-5 μm. Conidia were hyaline, cylindrical, thin-walled, aseptate, smooth and 14-16(-18) x 2-3 μm.

The vegetative hyphae were septate, brown, smooth and branched. The hyphal cells were cylindrical and 2-7 μm thick. The chlamydospores were absent.

The strain F-11899 had a temperature range for growth of 0 to 31 °C and an optimum temperature of 23  
55 to 27 °C on potato dextrose agar.

1) Miura, K. and M. Y. Kudo: An agar-medium for aquatic Hyphomycetes., Trans. Ycolo. Soc. Japan, 11:116-118, 1970.

The above characteristics indicate that the strain F-11899 belongs to the order Coelomycetes <sup>2), 3), 4)</sup>. Thus, we named the strain "Coelomycetes strain F-11899".

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2) Arx, J. A. von: The Genera of Fungi - Sportulating in Pure Culture (3rd ed.), 315 p., J. Cramer, Vaduz, 1974.

3) Sutton. B. C.: The Coelomycetes - Fungi Imperfecti with Pycnidia, Acervuli and  
55 Stromata., 696 p., Commonwealth Mycological Institute, Kew, 1980.

4) Hawksworth, D. L., B. C. Sutton and G. C. Ainsworth: Dictionary of the Fungi (7th ed.),  
445 p., Commonwealth Mycological Institute, Kew., 1983.

Table 1 Cultural characteristics of the strain F-11899

Medium	Cultural characteristics
Malt extract agar (Blakeslee 1915)	G: Rather restrictedly, 2.5-3.0 cm S: Circular, plane, thin to felty, olive brown (4F5), arising aerial hyphae at the center (yellowish grey (4B2)) R: Brownish grey (4F2)
Potato dextrose agar (Difco 0013)	G: Rather rapidly, 3.5-4.0 cm S: Circular, plane, felty, somewhat wrinkly, brownish grey (4F2), arising aerial hyphae at the center (pale grey (4B1) to brownish grey (4F2)) R: Dark grey (4F1)
Czapeck's solution agar (Raper and Thom 1949)	G: Very restrictedly, 1.0-1.5 cm S: Irregular, thin, scanty, immersed, subhyaline to white R: Subhyaline to white
Sabouraud dextrose agar (Difco 0109)	G: Restrictedly, 2.0-2.5 cm S: Circular, plane, thin, white, sectoring, light brown (6D5) at the colony center R: Pale yellow (4A3)
Oatmeal agar (Difco 0552)	G: Fairly rapidly, 4.0-4.5 cm S: Circular, plane, felty to cottony, dark grey (4F1) to brownish grey (4F2) R: Brownish grey (4D2)

	Medium	Cultural characteristics
5	Emerson Yp Ss agar (Difco 0739)	G: Restrictedly, 2.0-2.5 cm S: Circular to irregular, plane, felty, dark grey (4F1) to brownish grey (4F2)
10		R: Medium grey (4E1) to dark grey (4F1)
15	Corn meal agar (Difco 0386)	G: Rather restrictedly, 2.5-3.0 cm S: Circular, plane, thin to felty, dark grey (2F1) to olive (2F3)
20		R: Dark grey (2F1) to olive (2F3)
25	MY20 agar	G: Restrictedly, 1.5-2.0 cm S: Circular to irregular, thin, sectoring, yellowish white (4A2)
		R: Pale yellow (4A3) to orange white (5A2)

Abbreviations : G: growth, measuring colony size in  
diameter  
S: colony surface  
R: reverse

These characteristics were observed after 14 days of incubation at 25°C. The color descriptions were based on the Methuen Handbook of Colour <sup>5)</sup>.

A culture of Coelomycetes strain F-11899 thus named has been deposited with the Fermentation Research Institute Agency of Industrial Science and Technology (1-3, Higashi 1 chome, Tsukuba-shi, IBARAKI 305 JAPAN) on October 26, 1989 under the number of FERM BP-2635.

After that, however, we have further studied the classification of the strain F-11899, and have found that the strain F-11899 resembled Coleophoma empetri (Rostrup) Petrak 1929 2), 3), 4) belonging to the order Coelomycetes, but differed in some pycnidial characteristics : globose or flattened at the base, immersed, and not papillate.

Considering these characteristics, we classified this strain in more detail and renamed it as "Coleophoma sp. F-11899".

In this connection, we have already taken step to amend the name, "Coelomycetes strain F-11899" to Coleophoma sp. F-11899 with the Fermentation Research Institute Agency of Industrial Science and Technology on September 21, 1990.

(ii) Production of the compound [II] or a salt thereof

The compound [II] or a salt thereof of this invention is produced when the compound [II] or a salt thereof-producing strain belonging to the genus Coleophoma is grown in a nutrient medium containing sources of assimilable carbon and nitrogen under aerobic conditions (e.g. shaking culture, submerged

5) Kornerup, A. and Wanscher, J. H.: Methuen Handbook of Colour (3rd ed.), 252 p., Methuen, London, 1983.

culture, etc.).

The preferred sources of carbon in the nutrient medium are carbohydrates such as glucose, sucrose, starch, fructose or glycerin, or the like.

The preferred sources of nitrogen are yeast extract, peptone, gluten meal, cotton seed flour, soybean meal, corn steep liquor, dried yeast, wheat germ, etc., as well as inorganic and organic nitrogen compounds such as ammonium salts (e.g. ammonium nitrate, ammonium sulfate, ammonium phosphate, etc.), urea or amino acid, or the like.

The carbon and nitrogen sources, though advantageously employed in combination, need not to be used in their pure form because less pure materials, which contain traces of growth factors and considerable quantities of mineral nutrients, are also suitable for use.

When desired, there may be added to the medium mineral salts such as sodium or calcium carbonate, sodium or potassium phosphate, sodium or potassium chloride, sodium or potassium iodide, magnesium salts, copper salts, zinc salt, or cobalt salts, or the like.

If necessary, especially when the culture medium foams seriously a defoaming agent, such as liquid paraffin, fatty oil, plant oil, mineral oil or silicone, or the like may be added.

As in the case of the preferred methods used for the production of other biologically active substances in massive amounts, submerged aerobic cultural conditions are preferred for the production of the compound [II] or a salt thereof in massive amounts.

For the production in small amounts, a shaking or surface culture in a flask or bottle is employed.

Further, when the growth is carried out in large tanks, it is preferable to use the vegetative form of the organism for inoculation in the production tanks in order to avoid growth lag in the process of production of the compound [II] or a salt thereof. Accordingly, it is desirable first to produce a vegetative inoculum of the organism by inoculating a relatively small quantity of culture medium with spores or mycelia of the organism and culturing said inoculated medium, and then to transfer the cultured vegetative inoculum to large tanks. The medium, in which the vegetative inoculum is produced, is substantially the same as or different from the medium utilized for the production of the compound [II] or a salt thereof.

Agitation and aeration of the culture mixture may be accomplished in a variety of ways. Agitation may be provided by a propeller or similar mechanical agitation equipment, by revolving or shaking the fermentor, by various pumping equipment or by the passage of sterile air through the medium. Aeration may be effected by passing sterile air through the fermentation mixture.

The fermentation is usually conducted at a temperature between about 10° C and 40° C, preferably 20° C to 30° C, for a period of about 50 hours to 150 hours, which may be varied according to fermentation conditions and scales.

When the fermentation is completed, the culture broth is then subjected for recovery of the compound [II] or a salt thereof to various procedures conventionally used for recovery and purification of biological active substances, for instance, solvent extraction with an appropriate solvent or a mixture of some solvents, chromatography or recrystallization from an appropriate solvent or a mixture of some solvents, or the like.

According to this invention, in general, the compound [II] or a salt thereof is found both in the cultured mycelia and cultured broth. Accordingly, then the compound [II] or a salt thereof is removed from the whole broth by means of extraction using an appropriate organic solvent such as acetone or ethyl acetate, or a mixture of these solvents, or the like.

The extract is treated by a conventional manner to provide the compound [II] or a salt thereof, for example, the extract is concentrated by evaporation or distillation to a smaller amount and the resulting residue containing active material, i.e. the compound [II] or a salt thereof is purified by conventional purification procedures, for example, chromatography or recrystallization from an appropriate solvent or a mixture of some solvents.

When the object compound is isolated as a salt of the compound [II], it can be converted to the free compound [II] or another salt of the compound [II] according to a conventional manner.

#### Biological properties of the polypeptide compound [I] of the present invention

In order to show the usefulness of the polypeptide compound [I] of the present invention, some biological data of the representative compounds are explained in the following.

#### Test 1 Antimicrobial activity (1) :

Antimicrobial activity of the compound of Example 2 disclosed later (hereinafter referred to as FR131535 substance) was measured by micro-broth dilution method in 96 well multi-trays employing yeast



nitrogen base dextrose medium. To a 50  $\mu$ l sample solution with serial 2-fold dilution was added a 50  $\mu$ l of microorganism suspension in saline to yield a final concentration of  $1 \times 10^5$  colony forming units/ml. The Candida cultures were incubated at 37 °C for 22 hours. After incubation, the growth of microorganism in each well was determined by measuring the turbidity. The results were shown as IC<sub>50</sub> value in which concentration the turbidity was half of that in the well without sample. The results are shown in Table 2.

Table 2

organism	IC <sub>50</sub>
Candida albicans FP578	0.31
Candida tropicalis YC118	0.47

Test 2 Acute toxicity of FR131535 substance :

The acute toxicity of the FR131535 substance was determined to ICR mice (female, 4 weeks old) by a single intravenous injection. No toxic symptom was observed at the dose of 500 mg/kg.

Test 3 Antimicrobial activity (2) :

In vitro antimicrobial activity of the compound of Example 12 disclosed later (hereinafter referred to as FR139687 substance) was determined by the two-fold agar-plate dilution method as described below.

One loopful of an overnight culture of each test microorganism in Sabouraud broth containing 2 % Glucose ( $10^5$  viable cells per ml) was streaked on yeast nitrogen base dextrose agar (YNBDA) containing graded concentrations of the FR139687 substance, and the minimal inhibitory concentration (MIC) was expressed in terms of  $\mu$ g/ml after incubation at 30 °C for 24 hours.

organism	MIC ( $\mu$ g/ml)
Candida albicans YU-1200	0.05

From the test results, it is realized that the polypeptide compound [I] of the present invention has an anti-microbial activity (especially, antifungal activity).

The pharmaceutical composition of this invention can be used in the form of a pharmaceutical preparation, for example, in solid, semisolid or liquid form, which contains the polypeptide compound [I] or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as an active ingredient in admixture with an organic or inorganic carrier or excipient suitable for rectal, pulmonary (nasal or buccal inhalation), nasal, ocular, external (topical), oral or parenteral (including subcutaneous, intravenous and intramuscular) administrations or insufflation. The active ingredient may be compounded, for example, with the usual non-toxic, pharmaceutically acceptable carriers for tablets, pellets, troches, capsules, suppositories, creams, ointments, aerosols, powders for insufflation, solutions, emulsions, suspensions, and any other form suitable for use. And, if necessary, in addition, auxiliary, stabilizing, thickening and coloring agents and perfumes may be used. The polypeptide compound [I] or a pharmaceutical acceptable salt thereof is/are included in the pharmaceutical composition in an amount sufficient to produce the desired antimicrobial effect upon the process or condition of diseases.

For applying the composition to human, it is preferable to apply it by intravenous, intramuscular, pulmonary, or oral administration, or insufflation. While the dosage of therapeutically effective amount of the polypeptide compound [I] varies from and also depends upon the age and condition of each individual patient to be treated, in the case of intravenous administration, a daily dose of 0.01 - 20 mg of the polypeptide compound [I] per kg weight of human being, in the case of intramuscular administration, a daily dose of 0.1 - 20 mg of the polypeptide compound [I] per kg weight of human being, in case of oral administration, a daily dose of 0.5 - 50 mg of the polypeptide compound [I] per kg weight of human being is generally given for treating or preventing infectious diseases.

The following Preparations and Examples are given for the purpose of illustrating the present invention in more detail.

Preparation 1

To methanol (50 ml) was added thionyl chloride (8.73 ml) at  $-5^{\circ}\text{C}$  and the mixture was stirred for 10 minutes and then D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine (5 g) was added thereto under ice-cooling. The mixture was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was evaporated under reduced pressure to give D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester hydrochloride (6.3 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3380, 1720, 1580, 1250  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 3.70 (3H, s), 5.11 (1H, s), 6.83 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.28 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 8.91 (2H s), 9.93 (1H, s)

Preparation 2

To a solution of D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester hydrochloride (6.3 g) and triethylamine (8.71 ml) in tetrahydrofuran (100 ml) was added di-t-butyl dicarbonate (6.82 g). The mixture was stirred for 2 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to diethyl ether (1 l) and an insoluble material was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester (6.83 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3420, 3350, 1720, 1660  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.38 (9H, s), 3.59 (3H, s), 5.05 (1H, d,  $J=7.9\text{Hz}$ ), 6.70 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.16 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.60 (1H, d,  $J=7.9\text{Hz}$ ), 9.48 (1H, s)

Preparation 3

To a suspension of N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester (6.8 g) and potassium bicarbonate (1.84 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (34 ml) was added octyl bromide (4.176 ml). The mixture was stirred for 6 hours at  $60^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and ethyl acetate. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester (6.96 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1710, 1490, 1240, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.859 (3H, t,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.17-1.33 (10H, m), 1.38 (9H, s), 1.60-1.80 (2H, m), 3.59 (3H, s), 3.93 (2H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 5.11 (1H, d,  $J=7.9\text{Hz}$ ), 6.87 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.27 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.68 (1H, d,  $J=7.9\text{Hz}$ ).

Preparation 4

To 4N aqueous solution of sodium hydroxide (8.77 ml) was added N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester (6.9 g) and stirred for 1.5 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and ethyl acetate and 1N hydrochloric acid was added thereto to adjust the mixture to pH 3. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine (3.9 g).

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.860 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.17-1.33 (10H, m), 1.38 (9H, s), 1.60-1.80 (2H, m), 3.93 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 5.10 (1H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ ), 6.87 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.28 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.46 (1H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 5

To a solution of N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine (1 g) in acetonitrile (10 ml) and pyridine (0.213 ml) in acetonitrile (10 ml) was added N,N'-disuccinimidyl carbonate (0.675 g). The mixture was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and ethyl acetate. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine succinimido ester (0.92 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1810, 1730, 1680  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.862 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.17-1.33 (10H, m), 1.40 (9H, s), 1.60-1.80 (2H, m), 2.77 (4H, s), 3.97 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 5.54 (1H, d,  $J=8.1\text{Hz}$ ), 6.91 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.05 (1H, d,  $J=8.1\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 6

N-(t-Butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine methyl ester was obtained according to a similar manner to that of

5 Preparation 2.

IR (Nujol) : 3430, 3360, 1730, 1670, 1170  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.33 (9H, s), 2.90 (2H, m), 3.59 (3H, s), 4.05 (1H, m), 6.65 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ),  
 7.00 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.21 (1H, d,  $J=8.0\text{Hz}$ ), 9.22 (1H, s)

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Preparation 7

$\text{O}^4$ -Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine methyl ester was obtained according to a similar manner to that of

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Preparation 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1735, 1685, 1250, 1170  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.859 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.68 (2H, quintet,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 2.82  
 (2H, m), 3.60 (3H, s), 3.91 (2H, t,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.08 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d,  
 $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.25 (1H, d,  $J=8.0\text{Hz}$ )

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Preparation 8

$\text{O}^4$ -Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 4.

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IR (Nujol) : 3400-2900 (br), 1700, 1240, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.859 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.32 (9H, s), 1.68 (2H, quintet,  
 $J=7.0\text{Hz}$ ), 2.67-2.95 (1H, m), 3.90 (2H, t,  $J=7.0\text{Hz}$ ), 4.01 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d,  
 $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.02 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.13 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )

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Preparation 9

$\text{O}^4$ -Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine succinimido ester was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

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IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1780, 1720, 1690  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.860 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.32 (9H, s), 1.68 (2H, quintet,  
 $J=7.0\text{Hz}$ ), 2.82 (4H, s), 2.80-3.20 (1H, m), 3.92 (2H, t,  $J=7.0\text{Hz}$ ), 4.44 (1H, m),  
 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.60 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ )

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Preparation 10

(1) A seed medium (160 ml) consisting of sucrose 4%, cotton seed flour 2%, dried yeast 1%, peptone 1%,  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  0.2%,  $\text{CaCO}_3$  0.2% and Tween 80 (made by NAKARAI CHEMICALS LTD.) 0.1% was poured into  
 each of two 500 ml Erlenmeyer flasks and sterilized at  $121^\circ\text{C}$  for 30 minutes. A loopful of slant culture of  
 45 Coleophoma sp. F-11899 was inoculated to each of the medium and cultured under shaking condition at  
 $25^\circ\text{C}$  for 4 days.

A production medium (20 liters) consisting of Pine Dex #3 (made by Matsutani Chemical Ltd.) 3%, glucose 1%, wheat germ 1%, cotton seed flour 0.5%,  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  2%,  $\text{Na}_2\text{HPO}_4 \cdot 12\text{H}_2\text{O}$  1.5%,  $\text{ZnSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 50 0.001% and Adekanol (defoaming agent, made by Asahi Denka Co., Ltd.) 0.05% was poured into a 30 liter-  
 jar fermentor and sterilized at  $121^\circ\text{C}$  for 30 minutes.

The resultant seed culture broth (320 ml) was inoculated to the production medium and cultured at  
 $25^\circ\text{C}$  for 4 days, agitated at 200 rpm and aerated at 20 liters per minute. To the cultured broth thus  
 obtained (20 liters) was added an equal volume of acetone. After occasionally stirring at room temperature  
 55 for a while, the broth was filtered. The filtrate was concentrated in vacuo to remove acetone. The aqueous  
 filtrate (10 liters) was washed with two equal volume of ethyl acetate and extracted with n-butanol (10 liters)  
 twice. The combined n-butanol layer was concentrated in vacuo and the residue was applied on a column  
 (300 ml) of Silica gel 60 (made by E. Merck) and eluted with a stepwise organic solvent mixture consisting

of dichloromethane-methanol. The fractions having anti-Candida activity were eluted in the range of the solvent mixture (3:1 through 1:1). The active fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo to dryness. The residue was dissolved in 50% aqueous methanol (15 ml) and applied on a column (250 ml) of ODS YMC GEL (made by Yamamura Chemical Lab.). The column was washed with 50% aqueous methanol and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The eluate was concentrated and was further purified on a centrifugal partition chromatography (CPC) using a solvent system n-butanol:methanol:water (4:1:5) of upper stationary phase and lower mobile phase in a descending model. The pooled fractions containing the object compound (major component) were concentrated in vacuo and applied on a column (35 ml) of silica gel 60. The column was developed with n-butanol:acetic acid:water (6:1:1). The active fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo to dryness and dissolved in a small volume of 50% aqueous methanol. The solution was passed through a column (3.5 ml) of ODS YMC GEL. The column was washed with 50% aqueous methanol and eluted with methanol. The eluate was concentrated to dryness, dissolved in a small volume of water and adjusted to pH 7.0 with 0.01N NaOH. The solution was freeze-dried to give a white powder of said compound in its sodium salt form (hereinafter referred to as FR901379 substance) (11 mg).

The FR901379 substance as obtained has the following physico-chemical properties.

Appearance :

white powder

Nature :

neutral substance

Melting point :

215-221 °C (dec.)

Specific rotation :

$[\alpha]_D^{23}$  -20.3 (C: 0.5, H<sub>2</sub>O)

Molecular formula :

C<sub>51</sub>H<sub>81</sub>N<sub>8</sub>O<sub>21</sub>SNa

#### Elemental Analysis :

Calcd. : for C <sub>51</sub> H <sub>81</sub> N <sub>8</sub> SO <sub>21</sub> Na	C 51.17,	H 6.77,	N 9.36,	S 2.68 (%)
Found :	C 49.61,	H 7.58,	N 7.65,	S 2.14 (%)

Molecular weight :

HRFAB-MS : 1219.5078

(Calcd for C<sub>51</sub>H<sub>82</sub>N<sub>8</sub>SO<sub>21</sub> + 2Na - H: 1219.5032)

Solubility :

soluble : methanol, water

slightly soluble : ethyl acetate, acetone

insoluble : chloroform, n-hexane

Color reaction :

positive : iodine vapor reaction, cerium sulfate reaction, ferric chloride reaction, Ninhydrin reaction

negative : Dragendorff reaction, Ehrlich reaction

## Thin layer chromatography (TLC) :

Stationary phase	Developing solvent	Rf value
silica gel*	n-butanol:acetic acid; water (3:1:1)	0.36
	ethyl acetate:isopropyl alcohol:water (5:3:1)	0.31

\* Silica Gel 60 (made by E. Merck)

## Ultraviolet absorption spectrum :

$\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{methanol}} (E_{1\text{cm}}^{1\%})$  : 207(169), 276(13.5), 225(sh),  
283(sh) nm

$\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{methanol}+0.01\text{N-NaOH}} (E_{1\text{cm}}^{1\%})$  : 209(232), 244(59.5),  
284(13.5), 294(sh) nm

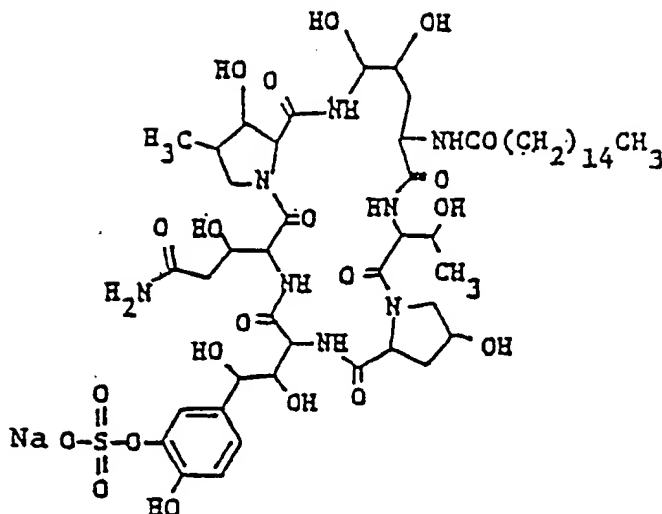
## Infrared absorption spectrum:

$\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$  : 3350, 2920, 2840, 1660, 1625, 1530, 1510,  
1435, 1270, 1240, 1070, 1045, 800, 755,  
710  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

 $^1\text{H}$  Nuclear magnetic resonance spectrum :(CD<sub>3</sub>OD, 400MHz)

$\delta$  : 7.30 (1H d, J=2Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8 and 2Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8Hz), 5.23 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.06  
(1H, d, J=4Hz), 4.93 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.59-4.51 (3H, m), 4.47-4.35 (5H, m), 4.29 (1H, dd, J=6 and  
2Hz), 4.17 (1H, m), 4.07 (1H, m), 3.95-3.89 (2H, m), 3.76 (1H, broad d, J=11Hz), 3.36 (1H, m),  
2.75 (1H, dd, J=16 and 4Hz), 2.50 (1H, m), 2.47 (1H, dd, J=16 and 9Hz), 2.38 (1H, m), 2.21 (2H,  
m), 2.03-1.93 (3H, m), 1.57 (2H, m), 1.45-1.20 (24H, m), 1.19 (3H, d, J=6Hz), 1.08 (3H, d,  
J=6Hz), 0.90 (3H, t, J=7Hz)

From the analysis of the above physical and chemical properties, and the result of the further  
investigation of identification of chemical structure, the chemical structure of the FR901379 substance has  
been identified and assigned as follows.



### Example 1

N-acyl group of FR901379 substance was eliminated by the reaction with an enzyme. In the following, this elimination process is explained in detail.

#### (1) Fermentation of *Actinoplanes utahensis*

The enzyme which is useful for eliminating N-acyl group of FR901379 Substance is produced by certain microorganisms of the Actinoplanaceae, preferably the microorganism *Actinoplanes utahensis* IFO-13244.

A stock culture of *Actinoplanes utahensis* IFO-13244 is prepared and maintained on agar slant. A loopful of the slant culture was inoculated into a seed medium consisted of starch 1%, sucrose 1%, glucose 1%, cotton seed flour 1%, peptone 0.5%, soy bean meal 0.5% and  $\text{CaCO}_3$  0.1%. The inoculated vegetative medium was incubated in a 225-ml wide mouth Erlenmeyer flask at  $30^\circ\text{C}$  for about 72 hours on a rotary shaker.

This incubated vegetative medium was used directly to inoculate into a production medium consisted of sucrose 2%, peanut powder 1%,  $\text{K}_2\text{HPO}_4$  0.12%  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  0.05% and  $\text{MgSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$  0.025%. The inoculated production medium was allowed to ferment in a 30-liter jar fermentor at a temperature of  $30^\circ\text{C}$  for about 80 hours. The fermentation medium was stirred with conventional agitators at 250 rpm and aerated at 20 liters per minute. The vegetative mycelium was collected from the fermented broth by filtration and once washed with water. The washed mycelium was directly used to eliminate N-acyl group of FR901379 substance as an enzyme source.

#### (2) Elimination Condition

FR901379 substance was dissolved in 0.25 M phosphate buffer (pH 6.5) at a concentration of 0.9 mg/ml. To a 36-liter of the solution was added a 2 kg wet weight of washed mycelium of *Actinoplanes utahensis* IFO-13244. The elimination reaction was carried out at  $37^\circ\text{C}$  under for 23 hours. Reduction of FR901379 substance and increase of the deacylated FR901379 substance (hereinafter referred to as FR133303 substance) were measured using a HPLC equipped with a reverse phase column. From a 30 g of FR901379 substance, a 22.2 g of FR133303 substance was formed in the reaction mixture.

#### (3) Isolation of FR133303 Substance

The reaction mixture described above was filtered with a filter aid. The mycelial cake was discarded. The filtrate thus obtained was passed through a column of activated carbon (2 L). The column was washed with 6 L of water and eluted with 12 L of 50% aqueous acetone. The eluate was evaporated in vacuo to remove acetone and then passed through a column (4 L) of YMC GEL ODS-AM 120-S50 (Yamamura

Chemical Labs). The column was washed with water and eluted with 2% aqueous acetonitrile containing 50 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>. Elution was monitored by analytical HPLC, using a column of LiChrospher 100 RP-18 (Cica-MERCK) and a solvent system of 3% aqueous acetonitrile containing 0.5% NH<sub>4</sub>H<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> at a flow rate of 1 ml/min, detecting the FR133303 substance with a UV monitor at 210 nm. The fractions containing the

5 FR133303 substance were combined and passed through a column of activated carbon (400 ml). The column was washed with water and eluted with 50% aqueous acetone. The eluate was concentrated in vacuo to remove acetone and lyophilized to give 16.4 g of FR133303 substance as a white powder.

FR133303 substance has following physico-chemical properties :

Appearance :

10 white powder

Melting point :

150-160 °C (dec.)

Specific rotation :

$[\alpha]_D^{24} -31.17^\circ$  (C: 1.0, H<sub>2</sub>O)

15 Molecular formula :

C<sub>35</sub>H<sub>51</sub>N<sub>8</sub>SO<sub>20</sub>Na

Elemental Analysis:				
20 Calcd : for C <sub>35</sub> H <sub>51</sub> N <sub>8</sub> SO <sub>20</sub> Na	C 43.84,	H 5.36,	N 11.69,	S 3.34 (%)
Found :	C 41.14,	H 5.74,	N 10.88,	S 3.10 (%)

Solubility :

25 soluble : water

slightly soluble : methanol

insoluble : n-hexane

Color reaction :

positive : iodine vapor reaction, cerium sulfate reaction, Ninhydrin reaction

30 negative : Molish reaction

### Thin layer chromatography (TLC) :

35	Stationary phase	Developing solvent	Rf value
	silica gel*	n-butanol:acetic acid	
40		water (3:1:2)	0.15

\* Silica Gel 60 (made by E. Merck)

45 Ultraviolet absorption spectrum :

50  $\lambda_{\max}^{\text{H}_2\text{O}}$  ( $E_1^{1\% \text{ cm}}$ ) : 201(340), 273(18), 224(sh),  
281(sh) nm

55  $\lambda_{\max}^{\text{H}_2\text{O}+0.01\text{N-NaOH}}$  ( $E_1^{1\% \text{ cm}}$ ) : 207(414), 243(122),  
292 (34)

Infrared absorption spectrum:

$\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$  : 3350, 2920, 1660, 1625, 1515, 1440, 1270,  
1080, 1045, 800, 755, 715  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

$^1\text{H}$  Nuclear magnetic resonance spectrum :

( $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ , 400MHz)

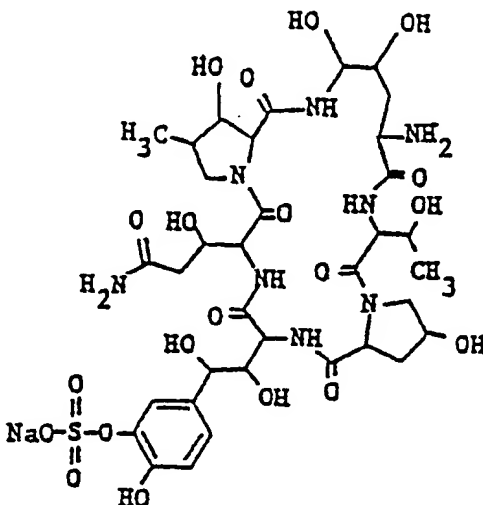
$\delta$  : 7.31 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (1H, dd,  $J=2\text{Hz}$  and  $8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.06 (1H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.40 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ),  
5.04 (1H, d,  $J=3.5\text{Hz}$ ), 4.94 (1H, d,  $J=6\text{Hz}$ ), 4.73-4.55 (3H, m), 4.51-4.38 (4H, m), 4.31-4.23 (3H,  
m), 4.11-4.06 (2H, m), 3.94-3.89 (2H, m), 3.41 (1H, m), 2.60-2.34 (5H, m), 2.14 (1H, m), 2.03 (1H,  
m), 1.28 (3H, d,  $J=6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.01 (3H, d,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ )

$^{13}\text{C}$  Nuclear magnetic resonance spectrum :

( $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ , 100MHz)

$\delta$  : 178.3 (s), 175.9 (s), 174.3 (s), 174.2 (s), 174.0 (s), 171.8 (s), 171.3 (s), 150.9 (s), 141.5 (s), 134.4  
(s), 128.2 (d), 124.5 (d), 120.3 (d), 78.1 (d), 77.0 (d), 76.9 (d), 76.6 (d), 72.9 (d), 72.8 (d), 71.2 (d),  
69.3 (d), 69.2 (d), 63.7 (d), 60.1 (d), 58.3 (t), 58.0 (d), 56.9 (d), 55.3 (d), 54.7 (t), 41.8 (t), 39.7 (d),  
39.5 (t), 33.5 (t), 21.4 (q), 13.3 (q)

The chemical structure of FR133303 substance has been identified and assigned as follows.



### Example 2

(1) A solution of 4-hydroxybenzoic acid (19.2 g) in 10% NaOH (120 ml) was dropwise added to 480 ml of dimethyl sulfoxide over 30 minutes during which the temperature in reaction mixture was controlled between 30 and 40°C. After adding, the solution was cooled to 17-20°C. 1-Bromooctane (28.95 g) was dropwise added to the solution over 30 minutes and the reaction mixture was vigorously stirred for 4 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was poured into ice water (1200 ml) and acidified with 40 ml of conc. hydrochloric acid. After vigorously stirring for another 1 hour, the resulting solid was removed by filtration and dissolved in 60 ml of acetonitrile. The solution was refluxed over 30 minutes and was allowed to stand overnight at room temperature to yield 4-octyloxybenzoic acid (13.8 g) as a crystal (MP 96°C, Anal Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_3$  : C 71.97, H 8.86, Found : C 71.30, H 8.89).

To a solution of 4-octyloxybenzoic acid (13.8 g) in diethyl ether (552 ml) were added 2,4,5-trichlorophenol (10.87 g) and N,N'-dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (11.37 g). The solution was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 18 hours at room temperature. The precipitate was removed by filtration and the filtrate was concentrated in vacuo. The residue was dissolved in petroleum ether and was allowed to stand on ice-water. The resulting crystals (15.2 g) were filtered and dissolved in warm n-hexane (150 ml). After standing



overnight at room temperature, the resulting crystal was removed by filtration. The filtrate was concentrated to an oil which was purified by a column chromatography over silica gel using a mixture of ethyl acetate and n-hexane to give 2,4,5-trichlorophenyl 4-octyloxybenzoate (7.58 g)(MP 53 °C, Anal Calcd. for  $C_{21}H_{23}O_3Cl_3$  : Cl 24.75, Found : Cl 24.05).

- 5 (2) To a solution of FR133303 substance (2.04 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (60 ml) were added 2,4,5-trichlorophenyl 4-octyloxybenzoate (2.04 g) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (0.283 g). The solution was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere at room temperature for 15 hours. 4-Dimethylaminopyridine (0.20 g) was added to the solution and mixture was stirred for another 24 hours. The reaction mixture was poured into water (600 ml) and the pH was adjusted to 6.0. The mixture was washed twice with an equal volume of ethyl acetate and concentrated to 30 ml. The concentrate was applied on a column (150 ml) of DEAE-Toyopearl (Cl type, manufactured by Tosoh). The column was washed with 50% aqueous methanol and developed with 50% aqueous methanol containing 1M sodium chloride aqueous solution. The elution of product was assessed by the same HPLC system as described in Example 1(3) except that the concentration of acetonitrile in solvent was 40%. The fractions containing the object compound were pooled and evaporated in vacuo to remove methanol. The solution was absorbed on a column (l L) of YMC GEL ODS-AM 120-S50 in order to remove salt. The column was washed with water and eluted with 30% aqueous acetonitrile. The eluate was evaporated in vacuo to remove acetonitrile and lyophilized to give the object compound (hereinafter referred to as FR131535 substance) (1.4 g) as a white powder.

FR131535 substance has following physico-chemical properties :

- 20 Appearance :

white powder

Melting point :

170-189 °C (dec.)

- 25 Specific rotation :

$[\alpha]_D^{20} -14.4^\circ$  (C: 10, H<sub>2</sub>O)

Molecular formula :

$C_{50}H_{71}N_8SO_{22}Na$

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Elemental Analysis :					
Calcd. for $C_{50}H_{71}N_8SO_{22}Na \cdot 6H_2O$	C 46.22,	H 6.44,	N 8.62,	S 2.46,	Na 1.77 (%)
Found :	C 46.80,	H 6.13,	N 8.78,	S 1.96,	Na 1.81 (%)

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Solubility :

soluble : methanol, water

slightly soluble : acetone

insoluble : n-hexane

Color reaction :

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positive : iodine vapor reaction, cerium sulfate reaction

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## Thin layer chromatography (TLC) :

Stationary phase	Developing solvent	Rf value
silica gel*	n-butanol:acetic acid: water (6:1:1)	0.21

\* Silica Gel 60 (made by E. Merck)

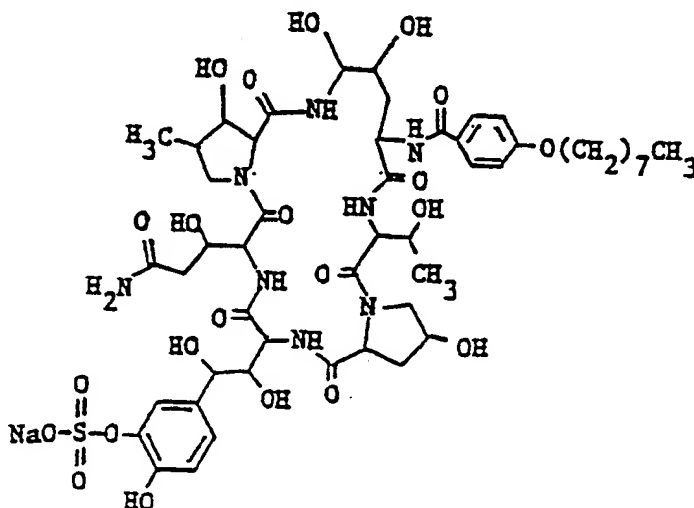
## Infrared absorption spectrum :

$\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$  : 3330, 2900, 2850, 1620, 1500, 1430, 1270,  
1250, 1170, 1110, 1080, 1040, 960, 940,  
880, 840, 800, 750, 710  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

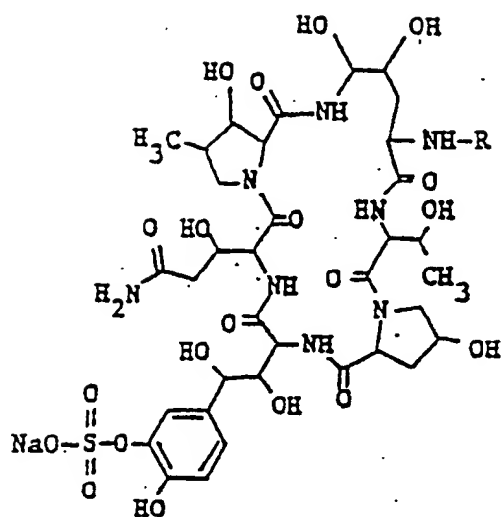
$^1\text{H}$  Nuclear magnetic resonance spectrum :  
( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ , 200MHz)

$\delta$  : 7.78 (2H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.31 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, dd,  $J=2\text{Hz}$  and  $8\text{Hz}$ ), 6.96 (2H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ),  
6.87 (1H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.33 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 5.08 (1H, d,  $J=4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.99 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.80-3.20  
(17H, m), 2.83 (1H, m), 2.65-2.30 (4H, m), 2.22-1.90 (2H, m), 1.79 (2H, m), 1.56-1.25 (10H, m),  
1.19 (3H, d,  $J=6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 0.90 (3H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ )

The chemical structure of FR131535 substance has been identified and assigned as follows.



In the following, the structures of the compounds of Examples 3 to 11 are shown.



Example No.	Compound No.	R
3	FR138260	$\begin{array}{c} \text{(D)} \\ \text{---COCH---} \langle \text{benzene ring} \rangle \text{---O(CH}_2\text{)}_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{NHCOO}^t\text{Bu} \end{array}$
4	FR138727	$\begin{array}{c} \text{(D)} \\ \text{---COCH---} \langle \text{benzene ring} \rangle \text{---O(CH}_2\text{)}_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{NH}_2 \end{array}$
5	FR138364	$\begin{array}{c} \text{(L)} \\ \text{---COCHCH}_2\text{---} \langle \text{benzene ring} \rangle \text{---O(CH}_2\text{)}_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{NHCOO}^t\text{Bu} \end{array}$
6	FR138261	$\text{---COO}^t\text{Bu}$
7	FR138363	$\text{---COCH}_3$

8	FR138728	$-\text{COCH}_2\text{Br}$
9	FR138538	$-\text{COO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$
10	FR138539	$  \begin{array}{c}  -\text{COC} \quad \text{---} \quad \text{---} \quad \text{N} \\  \parallel \quad \quad \quad \diagup \quad \quad \diagdown \\  \text{CH}_3\text{O}-\text{N} \quad \quad \quad \text{S} \quad \quad \quad \text{NH}_2  \end{array}  $
11	FR138365	$-\text{O}_2\text{S}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{CH}_3$

### Example 3

To a solution of FR133303 substance (1 g) and N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine succinimido ester (0.596 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (3 ml) was added 4-dimethylaminopyridine (0.165g). The mixture was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to water (30 ml) and then adjusted to pH 6. The aqueous solution was washed with ethyl acetate, and subjected to ion exchange chromatography on DEAE-Toyopearl (Cl<sup>-</sup>) (60 ml) and eluted with 50% methanol in 1M aqueous solution of sodium chloride. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The aqueous solution was adjusted to pH 4.5 with 1N hydrochloric acid and subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (Trademark, Manufactured by Mitsubishi Chemical Industries) (130 ml) and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give object acylated compound (hereinafter referred to as FR138260 substance) (0.77 g).

IR (Nujol): 3300, 1660, 1500, 1240, 1045, 800, 720 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD, δ): 0.92 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.17-1.33 (13H, m), 1.43 (9H, s), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.50 (3H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.35 (1H, m), 3.7-3.8 (1H, m), 3.93 (2H, t, J=6.2Hz), 3.9-4.2 (5H, m), 4.3-4.5 (5H, m), 4.5-4.7 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.05 (1H, d, J=4Hz), 5.11 (1H, s), 5.30 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 6.86 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.02 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.26 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.31 (1H, s)

FAB-MS: e/z = 1343 (M + Na)

### Example 4

FR138260 substance obtained in Example 3 (0.25 g) was added to trifluoroacetic acid (1.25 ml) and stirred for 10 minutes. The reaction mixture was added to water (30 ml) and then adjusted to pH 4.5 with saturated aqueous solution of sodium bicarbonate. The aqueous solution was subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (100 ml) and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give the object compound (hereinafter referred to as FR138727 substance) (15 mg).

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD, δ): 0.90 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.17-1.33 (13H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.50 (1H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.40 (1H, m), 3.7-3.8 (1H, m), 3.98 (2H, t, J=6.2Hz), 3.9-4.2 (5H, m), 4.3-4.5 (5H, m), 4.5-4.7 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.06 (1H, s), 5.20 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.40 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 6.95 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.02 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.30 (1H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.44 (1H, s)

FAB-MS :  $e/z = 1259 (M + K)$

### Example 5

- 5 FR138364 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with O<sup>+</sup>-octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine succinimido ester according to a similar manner to that of

### Example 3.

- 10 IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1660, 1620, 1240, 1050 cm<sup>-1</sup>  
 NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 0.904 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.17 (3H, d, J=6.7Hz), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.35 (9H, s), 1.74 (2H, quintet, J=6.5Hz), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.45 (3H, m), 2.76 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.0-3.1 (2H, m), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.77 (1H, d, J=11Hz), 3.92 (2H, t, J=6.8Hz), 3.9-4.2 (7H, m), 4.3-4.5 (5H, m), 4.5-4.6 (3H, m),  
 15 4.94 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.05 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.31 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.79 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.12 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz)  
 FAB-MS :  $e/z = 1357 (M + Na)$

### 20 Example 6

- A solution of FR133303 substance (0.5 g) in a mixture of water (5 ml) and tetrahydrofuran (5 ml) was adjusted to pH 7 with saturated aqueous solution of sodium bicarbonate and N,N-di-t-butylcarbonate (0.114 g) was added thereto at room temperature. The mixture was stirred for 5 hours at room temperature  
 25 maintaining pH 7 with saturated aqueous solution of sodium bicarbonate. The reaction mixture was added to water and adjusted to pH6. The aqueous solution was washed with ethyl acetate, and subjected to ion exchange chromatography on DEAE-Toyopearl (Cl<sup>-</sup>) (30 ml) and eluted with 50% methanol in 1M aqueous solution of sodium chloride. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The aqueous solution was adjusted to pH 4.5 with 1N  
 30 hydrochloric acid and subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (100 ml) and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give the object acylated compound (hereinafter referred to as FR138261 substance) (0.145 g).

- IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1660, 1620, 1240, 1050 cm<sup>-1</sup>  
 35 NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.18 (3H, d, J=6.0Hz), 1.40 (9H, s), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.44 (3H, m), 2.82 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.75 (1H, d, J=11Hz), 3.89-4 (2H, m), 4.10 (1H, m), 4.15 (1H, m), 4.29 (1H, dd, J=6Hz and 2Hz), 4.36-4.45 (5H, m), 4.5-4.6 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, t, J=3Hz), 5.06 (1H, dd, J=8.2Hz and 4Hz), 5.33 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.30 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz)  
 40 FAB-MS :  $e/z = 1081 (M + Na)$

### Example 7

- 45 FR138363 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with acetyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

- IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1250, 1040 cm<sup>-1</sup>  
 NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.20 (3H, d, J=6Hz), 1.78-2.05 (3H, m), 1.96 (3H, s), 2.21-2.54 (3H, m), 2.95 (1H, m), 3.35-3.42 (1H, m), 3.58-4.42 (11H, m), 4.50-5.05 (5H, m), 5.23 (1H, m), 6.88 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.05 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.35 (1H, d, J=2Hz)  
 50 FAB-MS : 1023 (M + Na)

### Example 8

- 55 FR138728 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 2-bromoacetyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1660, 1620, 1500, 1220, 1040 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.9Hz), 1.17 (3H, d, J=6.1Hz), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.50 (3H, m), 2.80 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.6-4.0 (5H, m), 4.09 (1H, m), 4.16 (1H, m), 4.29 (1H, dd, J=6Hz and 2Hz), 4.36-4.45 (5H, m), 4.5-4.7 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.04 (1H, dd, J=8.6Hz and 4Hz), 5.25 (1H, d, J=3.1Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2.1Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.52 (1H, d, J=8.6Hz)

FAB-MS : e/z = 1103 (M + Na)

#### Example 9

FR138538 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with benzoyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1640, 1240 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.18 (3H, d, J=6Hz), 1.89-2.12 (3H, m), 2.31-2.53 (3H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd, J=12Hz and 4Hz), 3.38 (1H, m), 3.76 (1H, d, J=11Hz), 3.87-3.98 (1H, m), 4.02-4.18 (2H, m), 4.22-4.32 (4H, m), 4.37-4.40 (3H, m), 4.49-4.62 (3H, m), 4.98 (1H, m), 5.02 (1H, m), 5.37 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.04 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.11-7.50 (6H, m)

FAB-MS : e/z = 1101 (M + Na)

#### Example 10

FR138539 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-methoxyiminoacetic acid according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1650, 1620, 1520, 1260, 1040 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.21 (3H, d, J=5.9Hz), 1.89-2.21 (3H, m), 2.29-2.61 (3H, m), 2.78-2.89 (1H, m), 3.32-3.42 (1H, m), 3.76-3.82 (1H, m), 3.91-4.01 (2H, m), 3.95 (3H, s), 4.13 (1H, m), 4.16 (1H, m), 4.24-4.27 (1H, m), 4.32-4.43 (5H, m), 4.46-4.62 (3H, m), 4.97-4.99 (1H, m), 5.08 (1H, m), 5.41 (1H, m), 6.79 (1H, s), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.1Hz), 7.04 (1H, dd, J=8.1Hz and 2Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J=7Hz)

FAB-MS : e/z = 1143 (M<sup>+</sup>)

#### Example 11

FR138365 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with tosyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1650, 1620, 1260, 1060 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 0.75 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.07 (3H, d, J=6.0Hz), 1.61-1.79 (1H, m), 1.91-2.05 (3H, m), 2.30-2.59 (3H, m), 3.36 (1H, m), 3.68 (1H, d, J=11Hz), 3.81-4.07 (4H, m), 4.22 (1H, m), 4.32-4.40 (5H, m), 4.42-4.60 (3H, m), 4.7 (1H, m), 5.0 (1H, m), 5.42 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.29-7.33 (3H, m), 7.75 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz)

FAB-MS : e/z = 1135 (M + Na)

#### Preparation 11

To a solution of 6-hydroxy-2-naphthoic acid (1 g) in the mixture of 10 % sodium hydroxide aqueous solution (4.25 ml) and dimethylsulfoxide (17 ml) was added octyl bromide (0.918 ml). The mixture was stirred for 6 hours at 60 °C.

The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and ethyl acetate and adjusted to pH 3 with conc. hydrochloric acid. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 6-octyloxy-2-naphthoic acid (0.91 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1620, 1210 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.7 Hz), 1.2 - 1.6 (10H, m), 1.78 (2H, m), 4.10 (2H, t, J=6.7 Hz), 7.19 (1H, dd, J=2.3 and 8.8 Hz), 7.36 (1H, d, J=2.3 Hz), 7.83 (1H, d, J=8.8 Hz), 7.97 (2H, d, J=8.8 Hz), 8.52 (1H, s)

## Preparation 12

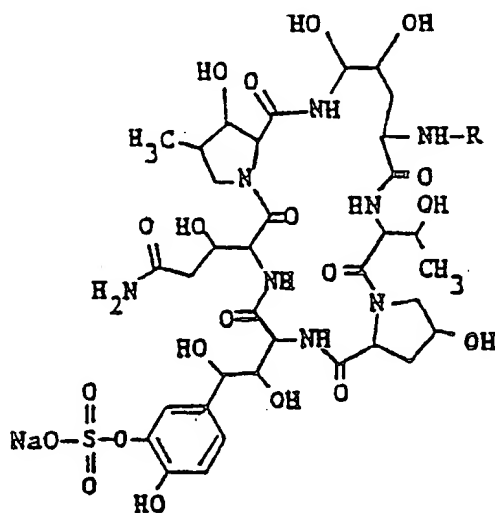
1-Ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide hydrochloride (0.703 g) was added to a solution of 6-octyloxy-2-naphthoic acid (0.85 g) and 1-hydroxy-1H-benzotriazole (0.382 g) in ethyl acetate (26 ml). The mixture was stirred for two hours at room temperature.

The reaction mixture was added to water and the separated organic layer was washed with water and sodium chloride aqueous solution. Then the organic layer was dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 1-(6-octyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide (0.74 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1740, 1620, 1190, 1020, 740  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.90 (3H, t,  $J=6.8$  Hz), 1.2 - 1.6 (10H, m), 1.89 (2H, m), 4.14 (2H, t,  $J=6.8$  Hz), 7.1 - 7.3 (2H, m), 7.4 - 7.6 (3H, m), 7.8 - 8.0 (2H, m), 8.1 - 8.2 (2H, m), 8.80 (1H, s)

In the following, the structure of the compound of Example 12 is shown.



Example No.	Compound No.	R
12	FR139687	

## Example 12

To a solution of FR133303 substance (0.5 g) and 1-(6-octyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide (0.271 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (1.5 ml) was added 4-dimethylaminopyridine (0.0828 g). The mixture was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature.

The reaction mixture was added to water and adjusted to pH 6. The aqueous solution was washed with ethyl acetate, and subjected to ion exchange chromatography on DEAE-Toyopearl ( $\text{Cl}^-$ ) (30 ml) and eluted with 50 % methanol in 1M sodium chloride solution. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The aqueous solution was adjusted to pH 4.5 with 1N hydrochloric acid and subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (65 ml) and eluted with 80 % aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give object acylated compound (hereinafter referred to as FR139687 substance) (0.214 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1500  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$  +  $D_2O$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8$  Hz), 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.8$  Hz), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.8$  Hz),  
 1.2 - 1.5 (10H, m), 1.6 - 2.0 (5H, m), 2.2 - 2.5 (3H, m), 2.4 - 2.6 (1H, m),  
 3.18 (1H, m), 3.6 - 3.9 (1H, m), 4.0 - 4.6 (15H, m), 4.84 (1H, d,  $J=3$  Hz),  
 4.90 (1H, d,  $J=3$  Hz), 5.11 (1H, d,  $J=3$  Hz), 6.76 (1H, d,  $J=8.3$  Hz),  
 6.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.3$  Hz), 7.13 (1H, s), 7.25 (1H, d,  $J=8.3$  Hz), 7.39 (1H,  
 s), 7.8 - 8.0 (3H, m), 8.44 (1H, s)

FAB-MS  $m/z = 1264$  (M + Na)

The following compounds (Preparations 13 to 16) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

#### Preparation 13

N-(t-Butoxycarbonyl)-L-2-(2-naphthyl)glycine succinimido ester

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1800, 1770, 1730, 1680, 1500, 1200  $cm^{-1}$

#### Preparation 14

Succinimido 2-(4-biphenyl)acetate

IR (Nujol) : 1800, 1770, 1720, 1200  $cm^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 2.82 (4H, s), 4.17 (2H, s), 7.30-7.50 (5H, m), 7.45 (2H, d,  $J=8.1$ Hz), 7.67 (2H, d,  $J=8.1$ Hz)

#### Preparation 15

Succinimido 4-t-butylbenzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1730, 1200, 1070, 990  $cm^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.33 (9H, s), 2.89 (4H, s), 7.68 (2H, d,  $J=8.5$ Hz), 8.03 (2H, d,  $J=8.5$ Hz)

#### Preparation 16

Succinimido 4-(4-phenylbutoxy)benzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1600, 1240, 1170, 1070  $cm^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.75 (4H, m), 2.65 (2H, m), 4.14 (2H, m), 7.15 (2H, d,  $J=8.9$ Hz), 7.13-7.35 (5H, m), 8.03 (2H, d,  $J=8.9$ Hz)

#### Preparation 17

To neat 3,7-dimethyloctanol (5 ml) was added phosphorus tribromide (1.01 ml). The mixture was stirred for 4 hours at 60 ° C. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and n-hexane. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 3,7-dimethyloctyl bromide (4.40 g).

IR (Neat) : 2900, 1450  $cm^{-1}$

NMR ( $CDCl_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (6H, d,  $J=6.6$ Hz), 0.89 (3H, d,  $J=6.4$ Hz), 1.1-1.3 (6H, m), 1.5-1.9 (4H, m), 3.3-3.5 (2H, m)

The following compounds (Preparations 18 to 23) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 11.

#### Preparation 18

4-[4-(Octyloxy)phenoxy]benzoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1680, 1600, 1240, 840  $cm^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=6.7$ Hz), 1.1-1.6 (10H, m), 1.71 (2H, m), 3.96 (2H, t,  $J=6.4$ Hz), 6.9-7.1 (6H, m), 7.92 (2H, d,  $J=8.7$ Hz), 12.8 (1H, br s)

#### Preparation 19

6-(Butoxy)-2-naphthoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1610, 1205  $cm^{-1}$



NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.96 (3H, t,  $J=7.29\text{Hz}$ ), 1.48 (2H, qt,  $J=7.29\text{Hz}$  and  $7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.78 (2H, tt,  $J=7\text{Hz}$  and  $6.45\text{Hz}$ ), 4.12 (2H, t,  $J=6.45\text{Hz}$ ), 7.24 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.40 (1H, d,  $J=2.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s)

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Preparation 20

6-Decyloxy-2-naphthoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1620, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

10 NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (14H, m), 1.78 (2H, m), 4.11 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.5 (1H, s)

Preparation 21

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6-Hexyloxy-2-naphthoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1620, 1290, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

20 NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (6H, m), 1.78 (2H, quint,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 4.11 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s)

Preparation 22

6-Dodecyloxy-2-naphthoic acid

25 IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1620, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.60 (18H, m), 1.78 (2H, m), 4.11 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.00 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.51 (1H, s), 12.90 (1H, s)

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Preparation 23

6-(3,7-Dimethyloctyloxy)-2-naphthoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1610, 1290, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

35 NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.84 (6H, d,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 0.94 (3H, d,  $J=6.1\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.4 (6H, m), 1.4-1.9 (4H, m), 4.15 (2H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.41 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s)

40 The following compounds (Preparations 24 to 31) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 12.

Preparation 24

1-[4-(4-Octyloxy)phenoxy]benzoyl-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

45 IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1730, 1600, 1500, 1230, 980  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Preparation 25

1-(6-Butoxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

50 IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1610, 1260, 1180, 1020  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Preparation 26

1-(6-Decyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

55 IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1620, 1190, 1000  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Preparation 27

## 1-(6-Hexyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1610, 1190  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (6H, m), 1.79 (2H, m), 4.12 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.24 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.41 (1H, t,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.54 (1H, t,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.72 (1H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.88 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.90 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.97 (1H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 8.02 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.51 (1H, s)

Preparation 28

## 1-(6-Dodecyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1620, 1190, 1030, 730  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.3 (18H, m), 1.78 (2H, m), 4.11 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.40 (1H, t,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.55 (1H, t,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.73 (1H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.99 (1H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 8.00 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.51 (1H, s)

Preparation 29

## 1-[6-(3,7-Dimethyloctyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1620, 1190  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ Preparation 30

## 1-[(2E,6E)-3,7,11-Trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrienoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Neat) : 2900, 1780, 1620, 1420, 1070  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ Preparation 31

3,7-Dimethyl-6-octenyl bromide was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 17.

IR (Neat) : 2900, 1440, 1380  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, d,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.0-1.5 (2H, m), 1.57 (3H, s), 1.65 (3H, s), 1.7-2.1 (5H, m), 3.4-3.7 (2H, m), 5.08 (1H, m)

Preparation 32

To a suspension of sodium hydride (2.04 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (50 ml) was added 4-hydroxypyridine (5 g) at room temperature. Octyl bromide (9.08 ml) was added thereto. The mixture was stirred for 2 hours at  $50^\circ\text{C}$ . The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of brine (100 ml), tetrahydrofuran (100 ml) and ethyl acetate (100 ml). The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 1-octyl-4-pyridone (14.7 g).

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.4 (10H, m), 1.4-1.8 (2H, m), 3.81 (2H, t,  $J=7\text{Hz}$ ), 6.05 (2H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.63 (2H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 33

To a solution of 1-octyl-4-pyridone (10.9 g) in pyridine (100 ml) was added phosphorous pentasulfide (8.65 g) at room temperature. The mixture was stirred for 3 hours at  $80^\circ\text{C}$ . The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water (200 ml) and methylene chloride (200 ml). The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 1-octyl-1,4-dihydropyridine-4-thione (5.27 g).

IR (Neat) : 2910, 2850, 1620, 1460, 1110  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.4 (10H, m), 1.5-1.9 (2H, m), 3.95 (2H, t,  $J=7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.13 (2H, d,  $J=7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.60 (2H, d,  $J=7\text{Hz}$ )

The following compounds (Preparations 34 to 36) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 1.

Preparation 34

## Methyl 2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetate

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1740, 1610, 1600, 1220, 1100  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 3.23 (3H, s), 3.60 (3H, s), 4.73 (1H, s), 6.72 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.15 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ )5 EI-MS ( $e/z$ ) = 196 ( $\text{M}^+$ )Preparation 35

## D-Tyrosine methyl ester hydrochloride

10 IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1740, 1220  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 3.02 (2H, m), 3.67 (3H, s), 4.16 (1H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 6.72 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.01 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 8.58 (2H, s), 9.47 (1H, s)Preparation 36

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## Methyl (4-hydroxyphenyl)glyoxylate

IR (Nujol) : 3380, 1730, 1700, 1600, 1580, 1220  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 3.91 (3H, s), 6.94 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.83 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 10.9 (1H, s)20 Preparation 37

N-(t-Butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine methyl ester was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 2.

IR (Nujol) : 3360, 1700, 1680, 1290, 1270, 1250  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 25 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.33 (9H, s), 2.73 (2H, m), 3.59 (3H, s), 4.05 (1H, m), 6.65 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.00 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, d,  $J=7.9\text{Hz}$ ), 9.23 (1H, s)Preparation 38

30 To a solution of L-tyrosine methyl ester hydrochloride (1 g) in water (1.5 ml) was added sodium bicarbonate (0.363 g) under ice-cooling and stirred for 10 minutes, and then acetonitrile (7 ml), 37% formaldehyde aqueous solution (0.637 ml) and sodium cyanoborohydride (0.182 g) was added thereto at  $-5^\circ\text{C}$ . The mixture was stirred for 2 hours at  $-5^\circ\text{C}$ . The resultant insoluble material was filtered off, and the filtrate was extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate.

35 The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosine methyl ester (0.21 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1260, 1010  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 2.24 (6H, s), 2.72 (2H, m), 3.34 (1H, m), 3.53 (3H, s), 6.64 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.97 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 9.18 (1H, s)

40 The following compounds (Preparations 39 to 44) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 3.

Preparation 39

## 45 Methyl 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetate

IR (Neat) : 2910, 2850, 1730, 1240  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.9 (2H, m), 3.58 (2H, s), 3.59 (3H, s), 3.92 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.85 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.15 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ )50 Preparation 40

## Ethyl 3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionate

IR (Neat) : 2920, 2850, 1730, 1240  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 55 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.15 (3H, t,  $J=7.1\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.55 (2H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 2.77 (2H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 3.90 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.03 (2H, q,  $J=7.1\text{Hz}$ ), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.11 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )Preparation 41

## Methyl 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetate

IR (Neat) : 2910, 2850, 1740, 1600, 1240, 1100  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 3.26 (3H, s), 3.62 (3H, s), 3.94 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.83 (1H, s), 6.91 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.27 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ )EI-MS ( $e/z$ ) = 308 ( $M^+$ )Preparation 4210  $O^4$ -Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine methyl esterIR (Nujol) : 3350, 1730, 1680, 1510, 1240, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.3 (10H, m), 1.68 (2H, m), 2.82 (2H, m), 3.60 (3H, s), 3.91 (2H, t,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.08 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.25 (1H, d,  $J=8.0\text{Hz}$ )

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Preparation 43 $O^4$ -Octyl-N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosine methyl esterIR (Neat) : 2930, 2860, 1730, 1250  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 20 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.68 (2H, m), 2.80 (2H, m), 3.33 (6H, s), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.53 (3H, s), 3.89 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.79 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.08 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )Preparation 44

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## Methyl (4-octyloxyphenyl)glyoxylate

IR (Neat) : 2930, 2850, 1730, 1670, 1600, 1260, 1210, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.9 (2H, m), 3.93 (3H, s), 4.10 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.92 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ )30 The following compounds (Preparations 45 to 51) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 4.Preparation 45

## 35 4-(2-Butoxyethoxy)benzoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1610, 1260  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (4H, m), 3.45 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 3.70 (2H, t,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.16 (2H, t,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.02 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.88 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 12.63 (1H, s)

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Preparation 46

## 2-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)acetic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1680, 1240, 820, 780  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 45 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 3.47 (2H, s), 3.92 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.84 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.14 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )Preparation 47

## 50 3-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)propionic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1680, 1500, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.47 (2H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 2.74 (2H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 3.90 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.11 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 12.10 (1H, br s)

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Preparation 48

## 2-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1720, 1600, 1500, 1240, 1180, 1100, 830  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 2.6-2.8 (2H, m), 3.26 (3H, s), 3.94 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.67 (1H, s), 6.90 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.27 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )

5 Preparation 49

O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine

IR (Nujol) : 3400-2900, 1700, 1500, 1240, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

10 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.859 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.32 (9H, s), 1.68 (2H, m), 2.67-2.95 (1H, m), 3.90 (2H, t,  $J=7\text{Hz}$ ), 4.01 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.02 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.13 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 50

15 O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosine

IR (Neat) : 2940, 2860, 2600, 1620, 1240  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.68 (2H, m), 2.67 (6H, s), 2.8-3.6 (3H, m), 3.91 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.85 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.16 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ )

20 Preparation 51

O<sup>4</sup>-Octyloxyphenylglyoxylic acid

IR (Neat) : 1730, 1670, 1600, 1260, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

25 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.65-1.85 (2H, m), 4.09 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.89 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 52

30 N<sup>7</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-histidine was obtained from N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-histidine methyl ester according to similar manners to those of Preparations 3 and 4.

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.23 (10H, m), 1.35 (9H, s), 2.83 (2H, m), 3.90 (2H, t,  $J=7\text{Hz}$ ), 4.0-4.2 (1H, m), 6.36 (1H, s), 7.02 (1H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.75 (1H, s)

The following compounds (Preparations 53 to 60) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 11.

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Preparation 53

4-Octyloxyphthalic acid

IR (Neat) : 2930, 2860, 2500, 1700, 1600, 1260  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

40 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.5-1.8 (2H, m), 4.05 (2H, t,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, d,  $J=2.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.06 (1H, dd,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$  and  $2.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.72 (1H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 54

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3-Methoxy-4-octyloxybenzoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 2600, 1680, 1600, 1270, 1230  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

50 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 3.80 (3H, s), 4.01 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.44 (1H, d,  $J=1.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.54 (1H, dd,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$  and  $1.9\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 55

4-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)benzoic acid

55 IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1600, 830, 770  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 4.01 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.04 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.68 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.75 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.99 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 56

## 6-(2-Ethylhexyloxy)-2-naphthoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1610, 1280, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

5 NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.88 (3H, t,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 0.92 (3H, t,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (8H, m), 1.7-1.9 (1H, m), 4.01 (2H, d,  $J=5.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.42 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.51 (1H, s), 12.9 (1H, s)

10 Preparation 57

## 6-(3,7-Dimethyl-6-octenyloxy)naphthoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1610, 1290, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

15 NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.95 (3H, d,  $J=6.1\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.5 (2H, m), 1.57 (3H, s), 1.64 (3H, s), 1.6-2.1 (5H, m), 4.15 (2H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 5.10 (1H, t,  $J=7.1\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.42 (1H, d,  $J=2.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s), 12.89 (1H, s)

Preparation 58

## 6-(3,7-Dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy)naphthoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1620, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

20 NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.57 (3H, s), 1.60 (3H, s), 1.76 (3H, s), 2.07 (4H, m), 4.70 (2H, d,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 5.07 (1H, m), 5.51 (1H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.24 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.41 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s), 12.88 (1H, s)

Preparation 59

## (2E)-3(4-Octyloxyphenyl)acrylic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1600, 1240  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

30 NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 4.00 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.36 (1H, d,  $J=16\text{Hz}$ ), 6.95 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.54 (1H, d,  $J=16\text{Hz}$ ), 7.61 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 12.20 (1H, br s)

35 Preparation 60

## Sodium 6-octyloxy-2-naphthalene sulfonate

IR (Nujol) : 1230, 1180, 860, 820  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

40 NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.6 (10H, m), 4.06 (2H, t,  $J=5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.08 (1H, d,  $J=9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.21 (1H, s), 7.79 (1H, d,  $J=9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.00 (1H, s)

Preparation 61

45 To a solution of thionyl chloride (0.692 ml) and N,N-dimethylformamide (0.022 ml) was added sodium 6-octyloxy-2-naphthalenesulfonate (1 g) under ice-cooling and stirred for 1.5 hours at  $95^\circ\text{C}$ . The reaction mixture was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 6-octyloxy-2-naphthylsulfonyl chloride (1 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1610, 1260, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ 

50 NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.90 (3H, t,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.7 (10H, m), 1.8-2.0 (2H, m), 4.12 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.20 (1H, d,  $J=2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.32 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.84-7.97 (3H, m), 8.49 (1H, s)

The following compounds (Preparations 62 to 71) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 12.

55 Preparation 62

## 1-(4-Octylbenzoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Neat) : 2930, 2850, 1780, 1610, 1240, 990  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Preparation 63

1-[4-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)benzoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide  
 IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1600, 980  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

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Preparation 64

1-[6-(2-Ethylhexyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1620, 1270, 1180  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

10 NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.93 (3H, t,  $J=7.1\text{Hz}$ ), 0.98 (3H, t,  $J=7.4\text{Hz}$ ), 1.3-1.7 (8H, m), 1.7-2.0 (1H, m), 4.03 (2H, d,  $J=5.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, d,  $J=2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.29 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ,  $2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.4-7.7 (3H, m), 7.87 (1H, d,  $J=9.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.92 (1H, d,  $J=9.5\text{Hz}$ ), 8.1-8.2 (2H, m), 8.80 (1H, s)

15 Preparation 65

1-[6-(3,7-Dimethyl-6-octenyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide  
 IR (Neat) : 2900, 1770, 1620, 1180  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

20 Preparation 66

1-[6-[(E)-3,7-Dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy]-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide  
 IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1620, 1270, 1180  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

25 Preparation 67

1-(2-Anthrylcarbonyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide  
 IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1200, 720, 740  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

30 Preparation 68

1-[2-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)acetyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide  
 IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1460, 1420, 1250, 1130  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

35 Preparation 69

1-[3-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)propionyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide  
 IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1420, 1340, 1240, 950  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

40 Preparation 70

1-1(E)-3-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)acryloyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide  
 IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1600, 1260, 1080  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

45 Preparation 71

1-(O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide  
 IR (Neat) : 2930, 2850, 1800, 1610  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

50 Preparation 72

To a suspension of lithium aluminum hydride (4.05 g) in tetrahydrofuran (475 ml) was added dropwise a solution of 4-octyloxybenzaldehyde (25 g) in tetrahydrofuran (25 ml) at 55 ~ 60 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred under reflux for 1 hour, and thereto was added sodium fluoride (35.84 g) and water (11.52 ml) under ice-cooling. The mixture was stirred for 30 minutes, and filtrated. The filtrate was evaporated in vacuo to give 4-octyloxybenzyl alcohol (25.1 g) as crystals.

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IR (Nujol) : 3200, 1605, 1510  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.26-1.38 (10H, m), 1.62-1.72 (2H, m), 3.92 (2H, t,

J=6.5Hz), 4.40 (2H, d, J=5.7Hz), 5.03 (1H, t, J=5.7Hz), 6.85 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.20 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz)

#### Preparation 73

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To a suspension of 4-octyloxybenzyl alcohol (25 g), N-hydroxyphthalimide (17.15 g) and triphenylphosphine (27.74 g) in tetrahydrofuran (250 ml) was added dropwise diethyl azodicarboxylate (18.4 g) under ice-cooling. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours, and evaporated in vacuo. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel to give N-(4-octyloxybenzyloxy)phthalimide (33.45 g) as crystals.

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IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1725, 1605, 1580, 1505  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, m), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.70 (2H, m), 3.95 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 5.08 (2H, s), 6.93 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.40 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.85 (4H, s)

#### Preparation 74

To a solution of N-(4-octyloxybenzyloxy)phthalimide (4.13 g) in tetrahydrofuran (16 ml) was added hydrazine-hydrate (0.53 ml) at room temperature. After the mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 1 hour, the precipitate was filtered off. To the filtrate was added water (6 ml) and 4-hydroxyphenylglyoxylic acid (1.5 g) at room temperature. The mixture was maintained at pH 4~4.5 with aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution for 2 hours, thereto was added ethyl acetate, and adjusted to pH 2 with 1N hydrochloric acid. The separated organic layer was washed with brine, and dried over magnesium sulfate. The organic solvent was evaporated in vacuo to give 2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetic acid (3.4 g).

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IR (Nujol) : 3400, 1715, 1605, 1590, 1505  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, m), 1.25 (10H, m), 1.69 (2H, m), 3.94 (2H, t, J=6.4Hz), 5.07 (2H, s), 6.82 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 6.90 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.29 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.35 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz)

The following compounds (Preparations 75 and 76) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 74.

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#### Preparation 75

2-Phenyl-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetic acid

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IR (Nujol) : 1720, 1610, 1585, 1515  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.69 (2H, m), 3.94 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 5.13 (2H, s), 6.91 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.22-7.49 (7H, m)

#### Preparation 76

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2-(4-Octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1700, 1670, 1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.2Hz), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.70 (2H, m), 3.95 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 5.13 (2H, s), 6.91 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.29 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.56 (1H, s)

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#### Preparation 77

A solution of 4-octyloxyphenylglyoxylic acid (0.935 g) in a mixture of water (9 ml) and tetrahydrofuran (18 ml) and adjusted to pH 3.5-4 with 1N hydrochloric acid and methoxyamine hydrochloride (0.337 g) was added thereto at room temperature. The mixture was stirred for 2 hours at room temperature maintaining pH 3.5~4 with 1N hydrochloric acid. The reaction mixture was added to ethyl acetate. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyiminoacetic acid (0.57 g).

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IR (Nujol) : 1700, 1600, 1250, 1030  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.3Hz), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 3.89 (3H, s), 3.99 (2H, t, J=6.4Hz), 7.00 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz), 7.45 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz), 14.05 (1H, s)

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#### Preparation 78



To a mixture of 2,3,4,5,6-pentafluorobenzoic acid (1 g) and 2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentanol (1.18 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (5 ml) was added 62% sodium hydride (0.39 g) at room temperature. The mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 1 hour, and thereto was added a mixture of water and ethyl acetate. The separated organic layer was washed with water and brine, dried over magnesium sulfate, and evaporated in vacuo. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel to give 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoic acid (923.0 mg).

IR (Nujol) : 1700, 1580  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 4.96 (2H, t,  $J = 14.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.10 (1H, tt,  $J = 5.6\text{Hz}$  and  $50.2\text{Hz}$ )

#### 10 Preparation 79

4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,8-Pentadecafluorooctyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 3400, 1640, 1560  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 4.95 (2H, t,  $J = 14.0\text{Hz}$ )

15 The following compounds (Preparations 80 to 90) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

#### Preparation 80

20 Succinimido 2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate

IR (Nujol) : 1800, 1770, 1700, 1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 81

25 Succinimido 2-phenyl-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate

IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1730, 1605  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, m), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.69 (2H, m), 2.90 (4H, m), 3.94 (2H, t,  $J = 6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 5.30 (2H, s), 6.91 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.25-7.56 (7H, m)

#### 30 Preparation 82

Succinimido 2-(4-Octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate

IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1725, 1600, 1580  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

35 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J = 6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.70 (2H, m), 2.85 (4H, s), 3.96 (2H, m), 5.28 (2H, s), 6.91 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.33 (2H, d,  $J = 8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 8.12 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 83

Succinimido 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoate

40 IR (Nujol) : 3500, 1770, 1740, 1640  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 2.90 (4H, s), 5.23 (2H, t,  $J = 13.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.11 (1H, tt,  $J = 50.2\text{Hz}$  and  $5.6\text{Hz}$ )

#### Preparation 84

45 Succinimido 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,8-pentadecafluorooctyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1735, 1620, 1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 2.90 (4H, s), 5.12 (2H, t,  $J = 13.8\text{Hz}$ )

#### Preparation 85

50 Succinimido 3-methoxy-4-octyloxybenzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1730, 1600, 1280, 1200, 880  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

55 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J = 6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.9 (2H, m), 2.88 (4H, s), 3.84 (3H, s), 4.09 (2H, t,  $J = 6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.19 (1H, d,  $J = 8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.49 (1H, d,  $J = 2.0\text{Hz}$ ), 7.73 (1H, dd,  $J = 8.6$  and  $2.0\text{Hz}$ )

#### Preparation 86

## Succinimido 4-(2-butoxyethoxy)benzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1600, 1250, 1060  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (4H, m), 2.89 (4H, s), 3.46 (2H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 3.73 (2H, t,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.25 (2H, t,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.18 (2H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.04 (2H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ )Preparation 87

## Succinimido 2-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetate

IR (Nujol) : 1810, 1740, 1610, 1250, 1210, 1100  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.80 (4H, s), 3.35 (3H, s), 3.97 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 5.35 (1H, s), 6.96 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.38 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ )Preparation 88O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine succinimido esterIR (Nujol) : 3370, 1780, 1730, 1700, 1250, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ Preparation 89

## Succinimido 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyiminoacetate

IR (Nujol) : 1800, 1780, 1730, 1600, 1250, 1180, 1130  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.89 (4H, s), 4.01 (3H, s), 4.03 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.08 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.68 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ )Preparation 90N<sup>7</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-histidine succinimido esterIR (Neat) : 1810, 1780, 1730, 1500, 1360, 1200, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ Preparation 91

4-Octyloxyphthalic anhydride was obtained from 4-octyloxyphthalic acid according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

IR (Neat) : 2910, 2850, 1840, 1760, 1640, 1610, 1290, 1260  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.9 (2H, m), 4.19 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.47 (1H, dd,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$  and  $2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.57 (1H, d,  $J=2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.98 (1H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ )Preparation 92

N-Octyloxyxycarbonyloxysuccinimide was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

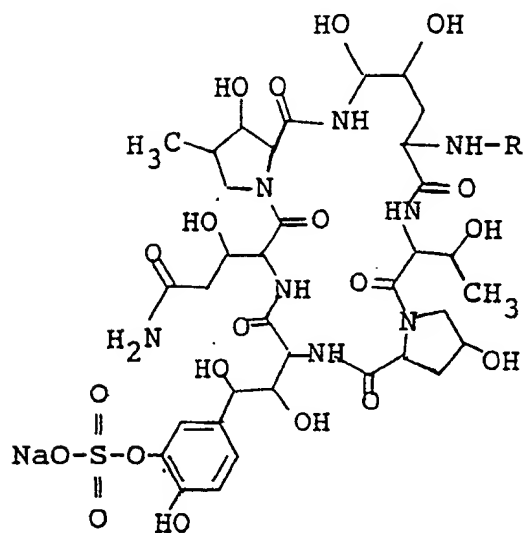
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To a solution of octyl phenyl ether (1.53 g) in chloroform (6 ml) was added chlorosulfonic acid at 0° C. The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 minutes, then the mixture was poured into a mixture of water and tetrahydrofuran.

The separated organic layer was washed with sodium chloride aqueous solution, dried over magnesium sulfate and then the solvent was evaporated in vacuo. The residue was subjected to a column chromatography on silica gel to give 4-octyloxyphenylsulfonyl chloride (1.25 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1600, 1580, 1500, 1380, 1180  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.50 (10H, m), 1.80 (2H, m), 4.06 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (2H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 7.96 (2H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ )

In the following, the structures of the compounds of Examples 13 to 53 are shown.

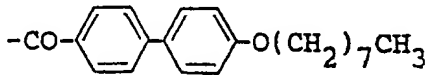
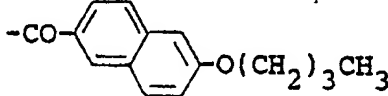
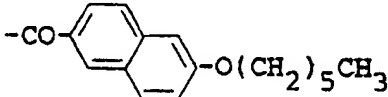
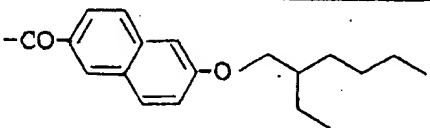
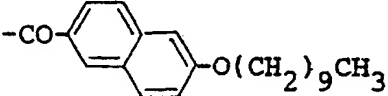
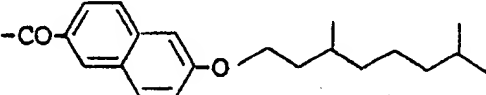
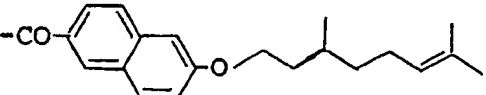
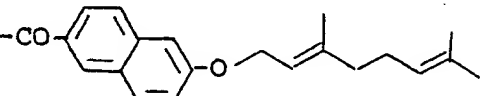
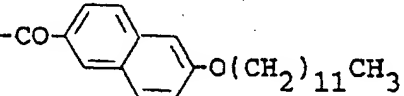
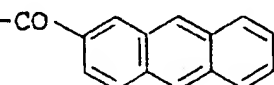


In the following formulae, <sup>t</sup>Bu means t-butyl, and p-TsOH means p-toluenesulfonic acid.

Example No.	Compound No.	R
13	FR139835	$-\text{COO}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
14	FR139537	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{tBu}$
15	FR141145	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{CH}_3$
16	FR139538	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_4-\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$

Example No.	Compound No.	R
17	FR140215	
18	FR140216	
19	FR140727	
20	FR143301	
21	FR140495	
22	FR139503	
23	FR139500	
24	FR139501	

Example No.	Compound No.	R
25	FR139502	$\begin{array}{c} \text{NHCOO}^t\text{Bu} \\   \\ -\text{COCHCH}_2 \text{---} \text{N} \text{---} (\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \quad \quad \quad \diagup \quad \quad \quad \diagdown \\ \text{(L)} \quad \quad \quad \text{N} \quad \quad \quad \end{array}$
26	FR138959	$\begin{array}{c} \text{OCH}_3 \\   \\ \text{N} \\    \\ -\text{CO}-\text{C} \text{---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 \text{---} \text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \end{array}$
27	FR140291	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O}-\text{CH}_2 \text{---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 \text{---} \text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{N} \\    \\ -\text{CO}-\text{C} \text{---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 \text{---} \text{OH} \end{array}$
28	FR141580	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O}-\text{CH}_2 \text{---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 \text{---} \text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{N} \\    \\ -\text{CO}-\text{C} \text{---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_5 \end{array}$
29	FR141579	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O}-\text{CH}_2 \text{---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 \text{---} \text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{N} \\    \\ -\text{CO}-\text{CH} \end{array}$
30	FR141146	$\text{CH}_3 \text{---} \text{C}(=\text{O}) \text{---} \text{CH}=\text{C}(\text{CH}_3) \text{---} \text{CH}_2 \text{---} \text{CH}_2 \text{---} \text{CH}=\text{C}(\text{CH}_3) \text{---} \text{CH}_2 \text{---} \text{CH}_2 \text{---} \text{CH}=\text{C}(\text{CH}_3) \text{---} \text{CH}_3$
31	FR140731	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
32	FR140217	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$

Example No.	Compound No.	R
33	FR142472	
34	FR140496	
35	FR140497	
36	FR143483	
37	FR140728	
38	FR142172	
39	FR143326	
40	FR142390	
41	FR140729	
42	FR140730	

Example No.	Compound No.	R
43	FR143020	$-\text{COCH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
44	FR143021	$-\text{CO}(\text{CH}_2)_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
45	FR141315	$-\text{CO}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
46	FR140105	$-\text{CO}-\text{CH}(\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{CH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
47	FR141564	$-\text{SO}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
48	FR143170	$-\text{SO}_2-\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_7-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
49	FR138912	$-\text{CO}-\text{CH}(\text{NH}_2)\text{CH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$ (L) $\cdot$ p-TsOH
50	FR138960	$-\text{COCH}_2\text{S}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{N}^+(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \text{ Br}^-$
51	FR138727	$-\text{COCH}(\text{NH}_2)-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$ (D)

Example No.	Compound No.	R
52	FR138912	$\begin{array}{c} \text{NH}_2 \\   \\ -\text{CO}-\text{CHCH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\ \text{(L)} \end{array}$
53	FR138960	$\begin{array}{c} \text{Br}^- \\   \\ -\text{COCH}_2\text{S}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{N}^+(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \end{array}$

Example 13

FR139835 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with N-octyloxycarbonyloxysuccinimide according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1137 (M + Na)

Example 14

FR139537 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-t-butylbenzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.9Hz), 1.15 (3H, d, J=5.9Hz), 1.33 (9H, s), 2.0-2.3 (3H, m), 2.4-2.6 (3H, m), 2.7-2.9 (1H, m), 3.4-3.6 (1H, m), 3.8-4.9 (12H, m), 5.07 (2H, m), 5.40 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 7.06 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 7.08 (1H, dd, J=8.2Hz and 2Hz), 7.27 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.60 (1H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.75 (1H, d, J=8.6Hz)

Example 15

FR141145 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-(2-butoxyethoxy)benzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , +  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.88 (3H, t, J=7.3Hz), 0.96 (3H, d, J=6.7Hz), 1.04 (3H, d, J=5.7Hz), 1.2-1.6 (4H, m), 1.7-2.0 (3H, m), 2.1-2.65 (4H, m), 3.16 (1H, m), 3.7-4.5 (20H, m), 4.78 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.86 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.02 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.74 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.79 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 7.00 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz), 7.06 (1H, s), 7.87 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz)

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1201 (M + Na)

Example 16

FR139538 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-(4-phenylbutoxy)benzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1233 (M + Na)

Example 17



FR140215 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 4-octyloxyphthalic anhydride according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1257 (M + Na)

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#### Example 18

FR140216 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 3-methoxy-4-octyloxybenzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

10 IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1243 (M + Na)

#### Example 19

15 FR140727 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1630  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  : 1387 (M + Na)

#### Example 20

FR143301 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,8-pentadecafluorooctyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

25 IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1630  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1534 (M<sup>+</sup>)

#### Example 21

30 FR140495 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-biphenyl)-acetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

35 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.0-1.1 (6H, m), 1.9-2.2 (3H, m), 2.3-2.6 (3H, m), 2.7-2.85 (1H, m), 3.35 (1H, m), 3.58 (2H, s), 3.65-4.7 (13H, m), 4.93 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.04 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.25 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.01 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.3-7.6 (10H, m)

#### Example 22

40 FR139503 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3330, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1257 (M + Na)

#### Example 23

FR139500 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with O<sup>4</sup>-octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine succinimido ester according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

50 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.90 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.17 (3H, d, J=6.7Hz), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.35 (9H, s), 1.74 (2H, m), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.45 (3H, m), 2.76 (1H, m), 3.0-3.1 (1H, m), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.7-4.6 (18H, m), 4.94 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.01 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.25 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.79 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 6.83 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.12 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz)

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#### Example 24

FR139501 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-2-(2-

naphthyl)glycine succinimido ester according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.  
IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Example 25

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FR139502 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with N<sup>7</sup>-octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-histidine succinimido ester according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1330 (M + Na)

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#### Example 26

FR138959 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyiminoacetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

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IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.91 (3H, t, J=6.6Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.25 (3H, d, J=6.3Hz), 1.25-1.6 (10H, m), 1.65-1.9 (2H, m), 1.9-2.2 (3H, m), 2.3-2.65 (3H, m), 1.75-1.9 (1H, m), 3.3-3.5 (1H, m), 3.95 (3H, s), 3.7-4.75 (16H, m), 5.03 (1H, d, J=3.0Hz), 5.11 (1H, d, J=3.7Hz), 5.46 (1H, d, J=2.7Hz), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.89 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz), 7.01 (1H, dd, J=8.2Hz and 2Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.54 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz)

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FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1270 (M + Na)

#### Example 27

25 FR140291 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3250, 1650, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1363 (M + Na)

#### Example 28

FR141580 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-phenyl-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1646  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

35 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1346 (M + Na)

Example 29 FR141579 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3250, 1650  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

40 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1270 (M + Na)

#### Example 30

FR141146 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[(2E,6E)-3,7,11-trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrienoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

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IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1040  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.19 (3H, d, J=5.9Hz), 1.60 (3H, s), 1.62 (3H, s), 1.66 (3H, s), 1.9-2.2 (11H, m), 2.05 (3H, s), 2.3-2.6 (3H, m), 2.7-2.9 (1H, m), 3.35 (1H, m), 3.7-5.0 (14H, m), 5.08 (4H, m), 5.27 (1H, d, J=2.8Hz), 5.77 (1H, s), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.04 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 1.9Hz), 7.32 (1H, d, J=1.9Hz)

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#### Example 31

FR140731 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(4-octylbenzoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

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IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1040  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.21 (3H, d, J=5.8Hz), 1.25-1.45 (10H, m), 1.55-1.75 (2H, m), 1.9-2.25 (3H, m), 2.35-2.6 (3H, m), 2.65 (2H, t,

J=7.5Hz), 2.81 (1H, m), 3.32 (1H, m), 3.7-4.8 (14H, m), 4.98 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.09 (1H, d, J=3.9Hz), 5.31 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.24 (2H, d, J=8.2Hz), 7.33 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.74 (2H, d, J=8.2Hz)

5 FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1197 (M + Na)

#### Example 32

FR140217 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[4-(4-octyloxy)phenoxy]-  
10 benzoyl-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1305 (M + Na)

#### Example 33

15 FR142472 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[4-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-benzoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

20 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.88 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.23 (3H, d, J=6.1Hz), 1.3-1.6 (10H, m), 1.8-1.9 (2H, m), 1.9-2.3 (3H, m), 2.3-2.7 (3H, m), 2.9-3.0 (1H, m), 3.39 (1H, m), 3.7-4.7 (16H, m), 4.99 (1H, d, J=3.0Hz), 5.10 (1H, d, J=3.7Hz), 5.35 (1H, d, J=2.7Hz), 6.87 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 6.99 (2H, d, J=8.8Hz), 7.04 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 1.9Hz), 7.33 (1H, d, J=1.9Hz), 7.58 (2H, d, J=8.8Hz), 7.62 (2H, d, J=8.4Hz), 7.87 (2H, d, J=8.4Hz)

25 FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1289 (M + Na)

#### Example 34

30 FR140496 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(6-butoxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1207 (M + Na)

#### Example 35

35 FR140497 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(6-hexyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

40 NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6$  +  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t, J=6.6Hz), 0.97 (3H, d, J=6.9Hz), 1.08 (3H, d, J=5.9Hz), 1.2-1.6 (6H, m), 1.7-2.1 (5H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.73 (2H, m), 3.8-4.5 (12H, m), 4.80 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.88 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.08 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.74 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.80 (1H, dd, J=8.2Hz and 2Hz), 7.08 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.26 (1H, dd, J=8.9Hz and 2.4Hz), 7.39 (1H, d, J=2.4Hz), 7.85 (1H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.89 (1H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.93 (1H, d, J=8.9Hz), 8.44 (1H, s)

45 FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1236 (M + Na)

#### Example 36

50 FR143483 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[6-(2-ethylhexyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3250, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

55 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.93 (3H, t, J=7.4Hz), 0.98 (3H, t, J=7.4Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.24 (3H, d, J=6.0Hz), 1.3-1.7 (8H, m), 1.7-1.9 (1H, m), 1.9-2.3 (3H, m), 2.3-2.7 (3H, m), 2.8-3.0 (1H, m), 3.39 (1H, m), 3.7-4.7 (16H, m), 5.00 (1H, d, J=4.4Hz), 5.11 (1H, d, J=3.7Hz), 5.37 (1H, d, J=2.6Hz), 6.87 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.04 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.17 (1H, dd, J=8.9Hz and 1.9Hz), 7.22 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.33 (1H, d, J=1.9Hz), 7.7-7.9 (3H, m), 8.29 (1H, s) -

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1263 ( $M + Na$ )

#### Example 37

FR140728 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(6-decyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $cm^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$  +  $D_2O$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.6Hz$ ), 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.7Hz$ ), 1.07 (3H, d,  $J=5.9Hz$ ), 1.2-1.6 (14H, m), 1.7-2.1 (5H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.45 (1H, m), 3.73 (2H, m), 3.9-4.5 (12H, m), 4.79 (1H, d,  $J=3Hz$ ), 4.87 (1H, d,  $J=3.8Hz$ ), 5.07 (1H, d,  $J=3Hz$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.2Hz$ ), 6.79 (1H, dd,  $J=8.1Hz$  and  $2Hz$ ), 7.06 (1H, d,  $J=2Hz$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9Hz$  and  $2.4Hz$ ), 7.38 (1H, d,  $J=2.4Hz$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7Hz$ ), 7.89 (1H, d,  $J=8.7Hz$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.9Hz$ ), 8.45 (1H, s)

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1291 ( $M + Na$ )

#### Example 38

FR142172 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[6-(3,7-dimethyloctyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1610  $cm^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$  +  $D_2O$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (6H, d,  $J=6.6Hz$ ), 0.95 (3H, d,  $J=5.9Hz$ ), 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.7Hz$ ), 1.08 (3H, d,  $J=5.9Hz$ ), 1.1-1.4 (6H, m), 1.4-2.1 (7H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.74 (2H, m), 3.9-4.6 (12H, m), 4.81 (1H, d,  $J=3Hz$ ), 4.87 (1H, d,  $J=3.8Hz$ ), 5.07 (1H, d,  $J=3Hz$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.2Hz$ ), 6.83 (1H, dd,  $J=8.1Hz$  and  $2Hz$ ), 7.06 (1H, d,  $J=2Hz$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9Hz$  and  $2.4Hz$ ), 7.40 (1H, d,  $J=2.4Hz$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7Hz$ ), 7.89 (1H, d,  $J=8.7Hz$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.9Hz$ ), 8.45 (1H, s)

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1291 ( $M + Na$ )

#### Example 39

FR143326 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[6-(3,7-dimethyl-6-octenyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1260, 1040  $cm^{-1}$

NMR (CD $_3$ OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.00 (3H, d,  $J=6.2Hz$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.8Hz$ ), 1.25 (3H, d,  $J=5.9Hz$ ), 1.2-1.6 (2H, m), 1.61 (3H, s), 1.67 (3H, s), 1.63-2.3 (8H, m), 2.3-2.7 (3H, m), 2.8-3.0 (1H, m), 3.39 (1H, m), 3.7-4.8 (16H, m), 5.00 (1H, d,  $J=5.1Hz$ ), 5.08-5.2 (2H, m), 5.37 (1H, d,  $J=2.5Hz$ ), 6.87 (1H, d,  $J=8.3Hz$ ), 7.04 (1H, d,  $J=8.3Hz$ ), 7.15 (1H, d,  $J=8.9Hz$ ), 7.21 (1H, s), 7.33 (1H, s), 7.71 (1H, d,  $J=8.7Hz$ ), 7.77-7.85 (2H, m), 8.28 (1H, s)

#### Example 40

FR142390 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[6-{(E)-3,7-dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy}-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $cm^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$  +  $D_2O$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.7Hz$ ), 1.07 (3H, d,  $J=6.0Hz$ ), 1.57 (3H, s), 1.61 (3H, s), 1.76 (3H, s), 1.8-2.5 (9H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.45 (1H, m), 3.73 (2H, m), 3.9-4.6 (11H, m), 4.70 (2H, d,  $J=6.5Hz$ ), 4.80 (1H, d,  $J=3Hz$ ), 4.87 (1H, d,  $J=3.8Hz$ ), 5.07 (2H, m), 5.51 (1H, t,  $J=6.5Hz$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.3Hz$ ), 6.83 (1H, dd,  $J=8.3Hz$  and  $2Hz$ ), 7.07 (1H, d,  $J=2Hz$ ), 7.24 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9Hz$  and  $2.4Hz$ ), 7.40 (1H, d,  $J=2.4Hz$ ), 7.8-8.0 (3H, m), 8.45 (1H, s)

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1287 ( $M + Na$ )

#### Example 41

FR140729 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(6-dodecyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1610  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$  +  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.07 (3H, d,  $J=5.9\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (18H, m), 1.7-2.1 (5H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.45 (1H, m), 3.73 (2H, m), 3.9-4.5 (12H, m), 4.79 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.87 (1H, d,  $J=3.8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.07 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.1\text{Hz}$ ), 6.78 (1H, dd,  $J=8.1\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.06 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.38 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.89 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.44 (1H, s)

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1320 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

#### Example 42

FR140730 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(2-anthrylcarbonyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1185 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

#### Example 43

FR143020 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-acetyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.0-1.2 (6H, m), 1.2-1.6 (10H, m), 1.6-1.85 (2H, m), 1.85-2.1 (3H, m), 2.3-2.6 (3H, m), 2.7-2.85 (1H, m), 3.32 (1H, m), 3.46 (2H, s), 3.7-4.7 (16H, m), 5.04 (1H, d,  $J=3.7\text{Hz}$ ), 5.23 (1H, d,  $J=2.7\text{Hz}$ ), 6.75-6.9 (3H, m), 7.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.15 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.30 (1H, s)

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1227 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

#### Example 44

FR143021 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-propionyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1241 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

#### Example 45

FR141315 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[(E)-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-acryloyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$  +  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.04 (3H, d,  $J=5.4\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-2.0 (5H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.6 (1H, m), 3.17 (1H, m), 3.3-4.5 (15H, m), 4.79 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.86 (1H, d,  $J=3.8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.01 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.57 (1H, d,  $J=15.8\text{Hz}$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ ), 6.82 (1H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ ), 6.97 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.09 (1H, s), 7.34 (1H, d,  $J=15.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.52 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ )

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1239 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

#### Example 46

FR140105 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(O<sup>4</sup>-octyl-N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.91 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.12 (3H, d,  $J=6.1\text{Hz}$ ), 1.33 (10H, m), 1.74 (2H, m), 1.98 (3H, m), 2.40 (6H, s), 2.3-2.6 (3H, m), 2.8 (2H, m), 2.9-3.1 (1H, m), 3.3-3.5 (2H, m), 3.6-4.7 (16H, m), 5.06 (1H, d,  $J=3.8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.33 (1H, d,

J=3Hz), 6.77 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.07 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz)

#### Example 47

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FR141564 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 4-octyloxyphenylsulfonyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

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NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$  +  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 0.97 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.04 (3H, d, J=5.7Hz), 1.1-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-2.1 (5H, m), 2.45 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.7-4.5 (16H, m), 4.80 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.88 (1H, d, J=4Hz), 5.08 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.74 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.82 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.84 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.07 (1H, s), 7.51 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz)

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1249 (M + Na)

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#### Example 48

FR143170 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 6-octyloxy-2-naphthylsulfonyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

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IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.29 (3H, d, J=6.0Hz), 0.91 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.07 (3H, d, J=6.9Hz), 1.25-1.6 (10H, m), 1.7-2.2 (5H, m), 2.2-2.6 (4H, m), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.55-4.65 (17H, m), 4.97 (1H, m), 5.54 (1H, m), 6.84 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.01 (1H, dd, J=8.4Hz and 2Hz), 7.15-7.3 (3H, m), 7.75-8.0 (3H, m), 8.35 (1H, s)

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FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1299 (M + Na)

#### Example 49

To a solution of FR138364 substance obtained in Example 5 (0.24 g) in acetonitrile (5 ml) was added p-toluenesulfonic acid (0.132 g) and stirred for 8 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to water and the aqueous layer was adjusted to pH 4.5 with saturated sodium bicarbonate aqueous solution. The aqueous solution was subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give FR138912 substance (0.15 g).

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IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1272 (M + K)

#### Example 50

The mixture of FR138728 substance obtained in Example 8 (0.15 g) and 1-octyl-1,4-dihydropyridine-4-thione (0.031 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide was stirred for 1.5 hours under ice-cooling. The reaction mixture was pulverized with diethyl ether (50 ml). The precipitate was filtrated and dried over phosphorus pentoxide under reduced pressure. The powder was added to water (300 ml) and adjusted to pH 4.5. The aqueous solution was subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (50 ml) and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give FR138960 substance (0.15 g).

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IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1222 (Free M + Na)

The following compounds (Examples 51 to 53) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

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#### Example 51

FR138727 substance

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NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.90 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.17-1.33 (13H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.50 (1H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.40 (1H, m), 3.7-3.8 (1H, m), 3.98 (2H, t, J=6.2Hz), 3.9-4.2 (5H, m), 4.3-4.5 (5H, m), 4.5-4.7 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.06 (1H, s), 5.20 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.40 (1H, d, J=3Hz),

6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 6.95 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.02 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.30 (1H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.44 (1H, s)

#### Example 52

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FR138912 substance  
IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Example 53

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FR138960 substance  
IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

The following compounds (Preparations 94 and 95) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

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#### Preparation 94

Succinimido 4-(4-heptyloxyphenyl)benzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1160, 1740, 1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

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NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t, J=6.8 Hz), 1.2-1.7 (8H, m), 1.7-1.9 (2H, m), 2.92 (4H, s), 4.01 (2H, t, J=6.5 Hz), 7.00 (2H, d, J=8.8 Hz), 7.58 (2H, d, J=8.8 Hz), 7.69 (2H, d, J=8.5 Hz), 8.17 (2H, d, J=8.5 Hz)

#### Preparation 95

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Succinimido 4-(4-hexyloxyphenoxy)benzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1720, 1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.92 (3H, t, J=6.8 Hz), 1.2-1.5 (6H, m), 1.7-1.9 (2H, m), 2.90 (4H, s), 3.96 (2H, t, J=6.5 Hz), 6.9-7.1 (6H, m), 8.07 (2H, d, J=9 Hz)

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In the following, the structures of the compounds of Examples 54 and 55 are shown.

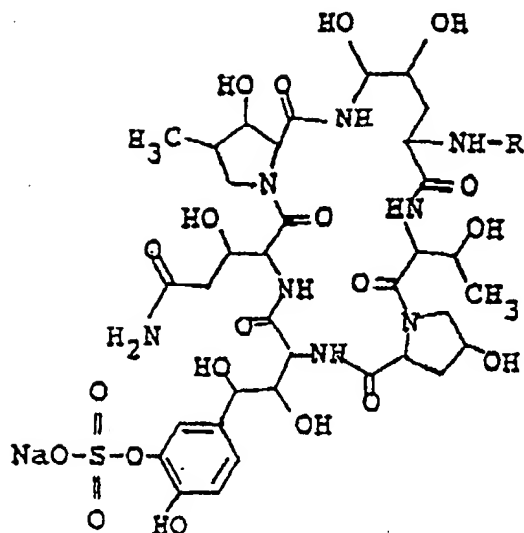
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Example No.	Compound No.	R
54	FR144274	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_6\text{CH}_3$
55	FR144271	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{CH}_3$

The following compounds (Examples 54 and 55) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

#### Example 54

FR144274

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Anal. Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{55}\text{H}_{73}\text{N}_8\text{SO}_{22}\text{Na} \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$

C : 48.53, H : 6.29, N : 8.23, S : 2.35

Found C : 48.36, H : 6.34, N : 8.15, S : 2.30

FAB-MS  $m/z$  1275 ( $M+\text{Na}$ )

#### Example 55

FR144271

Anal. Calcd. for  $\text{C}_{54}\text{H}_{71}\text{N}_8\text{SO}_{23}\text{Na} \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$

C : 47.57, H : 6.14, N : 8.22, S : 2.35

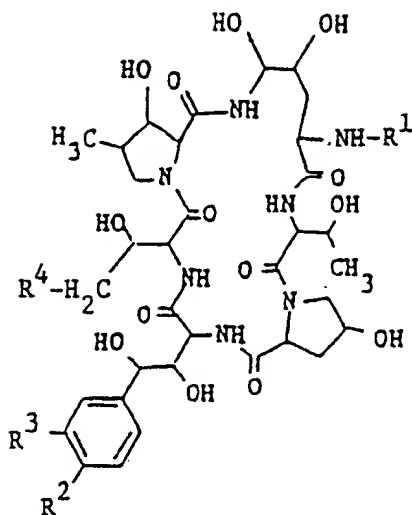
Found C : 47.58, H : 6.05, N : 8.18, S : 2.27

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1277 ( $M+\text{Na}$ )



## Claims

1. A polypeptide compound of the following general formula :



wherein

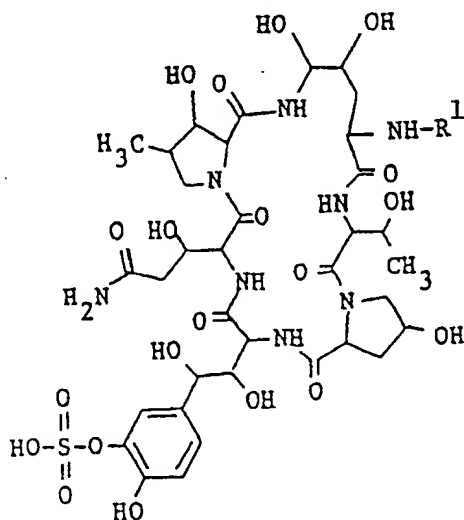
- $R^1$  is hydrogen or acyl group,  
 $R^2$  is hydroxy or acyloxy,  
 $R^3$  is hydrogen or hydroxysulfonyloxy, and  
 $R^4$  is hydrogen or carbamoyl,

with proviso that

- (i)  $R^2$  is acyloxy, when  $R^3$  is hydrogen, and  
(ii)  $R^1$  is not palmitoyl, when  $R^2$  is hydroxy,  
 $R^3$  is hydroxysulfonyloxy and  
 $R^4$  is carbamoyl,

and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

2. A polypeptide compound of claim 1, which is shown by the following formula :



wherein  $R^1$  is as defined above.

## 3. A compound of claim 2, wherein

5 R<sup>1</sup> is lower alkanoyl which may have one or more suitable substituent(s); higher alkanoyl, lower alkenoyl which may have one or more suitable substituent(s); higher alkenoyl; lower alkoxy-carbonyl; higher alkoxy-carbonyl; aryloxy-carbonyl; arylglyoxyloxy; ar(lower)alkoxy-carbonyl which may have one or more suitable substituent(s); lower alkylsulfonyl; arylsulfonyl which may have one or more suitable substituent(s); ar(lower)alkylsulfonyl; or aroyl which may have one or more suitable substituent(s).

## 4. A compound of claim 3, wherein

10 R<sup>1</sup> is lower alkanoyl; halo(lower)alkanoyl; ar(lower)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, lower alkoxy, higher alkoxy, aryl, amino, protected amino, di(lower)alkylamino, lower alkoxyimino and ar(lower)alkoxyimino which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy; heterocyclicthio(lower)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3  
15 higher alkyl; heterocyclic(lower)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of lower alkoxyimino, higher alkyl, amino and protected amino; ar(lower)alkoxyimino(lower)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy; higher alkanoyl; ar(lower)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy; higher alkenoyl; lower alkoxy-carbonyl; higher alkoxy-carbonyl; aryloxy-carbonyl; arylsulfonyl which may have 1 to 3  
20 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of lower alkyl and higher alkoxy; or aroyl which may have 1 to 5 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of halogen, lower alkyl, higher alkyl, carboxy, lower alkoxy which may have 1 to 10 halogen, lower alkoxy(lower)alkoxy, ar(lower)alkoxy, higher alkoxy which may have 1 to 17 halogen, higher alkenyloxy, aryl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy and aryloxy which may have 1 to  
25 3 lower alkoxy or higher alkoxy.

## 5. A compound of claim 4, wherein

30 R<sup>1</sup> is lower alkanoyl; halo(lower)alkanoyl; phenyl(lower)alkanoyl or naphthyl(lower)alkanoyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, lower alkoxy, higher alkoxy, phenyl, amino, lower alkoxy-carbonylamino, di(lower)-alkylamino, lower alkoxyimino and phenyl(lower)alkoxyimino which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy; pyridylthio(lower)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkyl; imidazolyl(lower)-alkanoyl or thiazolyl(lower)alkanoyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of lower alkoxyimino, higher alkyl, amino and lower alkoxy-carbonylamino; phenyl(lower)alkoxyimino(lower)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher  
35 alkoxy; higher alkanoyl; phenyl(lower)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy; higher alkenoyl; lower alkoxy-carbonyl, higher alkoxy-carbonyl; phenoxycarbonyl; phenylsulfonyl or naphthylsulfonyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of lower alkyl and higher alkoxy; or, benzoyl, naphthoyl or anthrylcarbonyl, each of which may have 1 to 5 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of  
40 halogen, lower alkyl, higher alkyl, carboxy, lower alkoxy which may have 6 to 10 halogen, lower alkoxy(lower)alkoxy, phenyl(lower)alkoxy, higher alkoxy which may have 12 to 17 halogen, higher alkenyloxy, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy, and phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 lower alkoxy or higher alkoxy.

## 45 6. A compound of claim 5, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is phenyl(lower)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy; or benzoyl, naphthoyl or anthrylcarbonyl, each of which may have 1 to 5 suitable substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of halogen, lower alkyl, higher alkyl, carboxy, lower alkoxy which may have 6  
50 to 10 halogen, lower alkoxy(lower)alkoxy, phenyl(lower)alkoxy, higher alkoxy which may have 12 to 17 halogen, higher alkenyloxy, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy, and phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 lower alkoxy or higher alkoxy.

## 7. A compound of claim 6, wherein

55 R<sup>1</sup> is phenyl(lower)alkenoyl which may have higher alkoxy; or benzoyl or naphthoyl, each of which may have higher alkoxy, higher alkenyloxy, or phenyl which may have higher alkoxy.

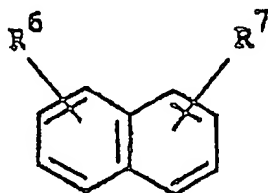
## 8. A compound of claim 7, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is benzoyl which has higher alkoxy.

9. A compound of claim 8, wherein  
 $R^1$  is 4-octyloxybenzoyl.

10. A compound of claim 7, wherein  
 $R^1$  is phenyl(lower)alkenoyl which has higher alkoxy; or naphthoyl which has higher alkoxy or higher alkenyloxy.

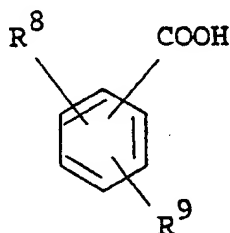
11. A compound of the following formula :



wherein

$R^6$  is  $(C_4-C_6)$ alkoxy, higher alkoxy or higher alkenyloxy, and  
 $R^7$  is  $-COOH$  or  $-SO_3H$ ,  
 or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof.

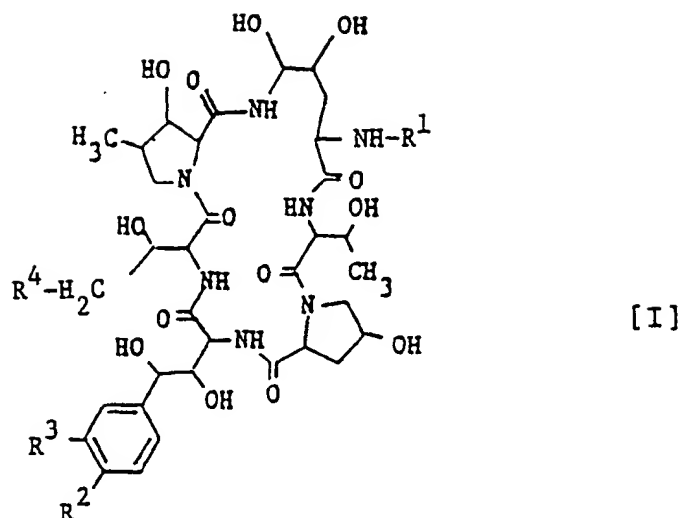
12. A compound of the following formula :



Wherein

$R^8$  is 1 to 4 halogen, and  
 $R^9$  is lower alkoxy which has one or more halogen, higher alkoxy which has one or more halogen,  
 or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof.

13. A process for the preparation of a polypeptide compound of the formula [I] :



20 wherein

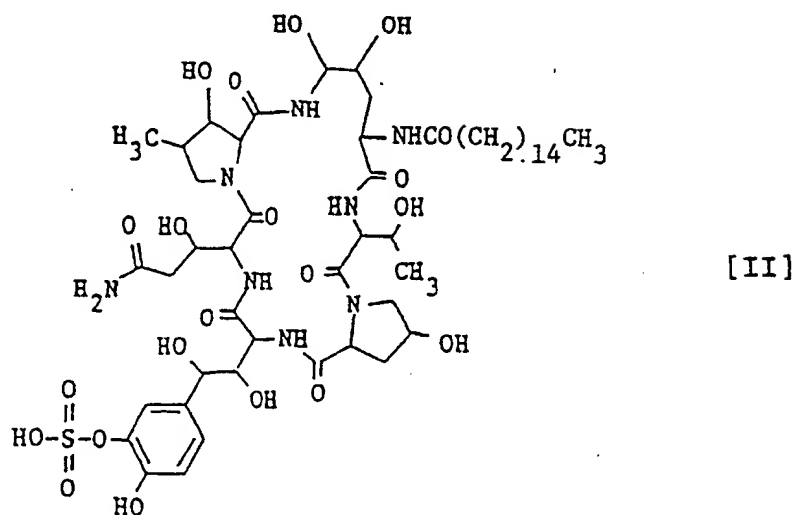
- R<sup>1</sup> is hydrogen or acyl group,
- R<sup>2</sup> is hydroxy or acyloxy,
- R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen or hydroxysulfonyloxy, and
- R<sup>4</sup> is hydrogen or carbamoyl,

25 with proviso that

- (i) R<sup>2</sup> is acyloxy, when R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen, and
- (ii) R<sup>1</sup> is not palmitoyl, when R<sup>2</sup> is hydroxy,
- R<sup>3</sup> is hydroxysulfonyloxy and
- R<sup>4</sup> is carbamoyl,

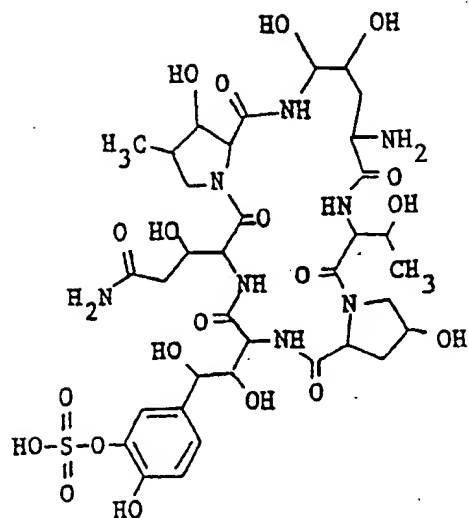
30 or a salt thereof, which comprises

- i) subjecting a compound [II] of the formula :



or a salt thereof,

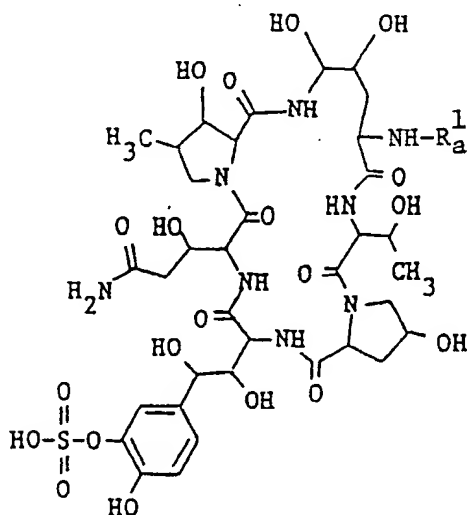
to elimination reaction of N-acyl group, to give a compound of the formula [Ia] :



[Ia]

or a salt thereof, or

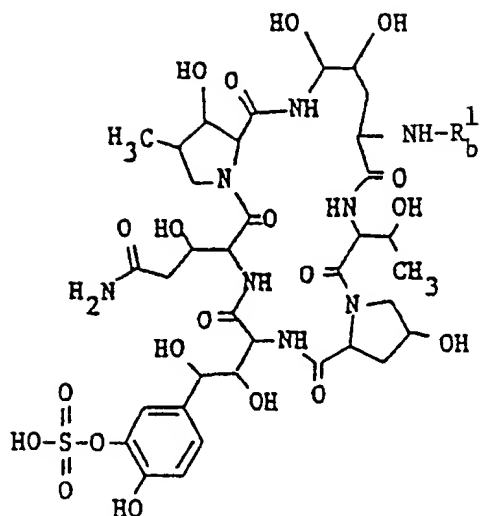
ii) subjecting a compound of [Ia] or a salt thereof thus obtained to acylation reaction, to give a compound of the formula [Ib] :



[Ib]

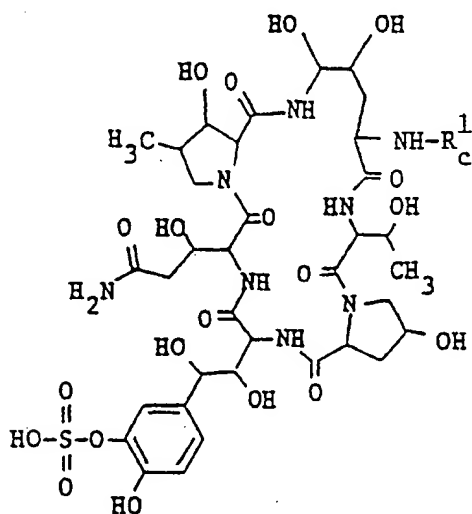
wherein  $R_a^1$  is acyl group exclusive of palmitoyl, or a salt thereof, or

iii) subjecting a compound [Ic] of the formula :



[Ic]

wherein  $\text{R}_b^1$  is ar(lower)alkanoyl which has higher alkoxy and protected amino, or a salt thereof, to elimination reaction of amino protective group, to give a compound [Id] of the formula :



[Id]

wherein  $\text{R}_c^1$  is ar(lower)alkanoyl which has higher alkoxy and amino, or a salt thereof, or iv) reacting a compound of the formula [Ie] :



wherein  $R_d^1$  is halo(lower)alkanoyl, or a salt thereof, with pyridinethione which may have higher alkyl or a salt thereof, to give a compound of the formula [If] :



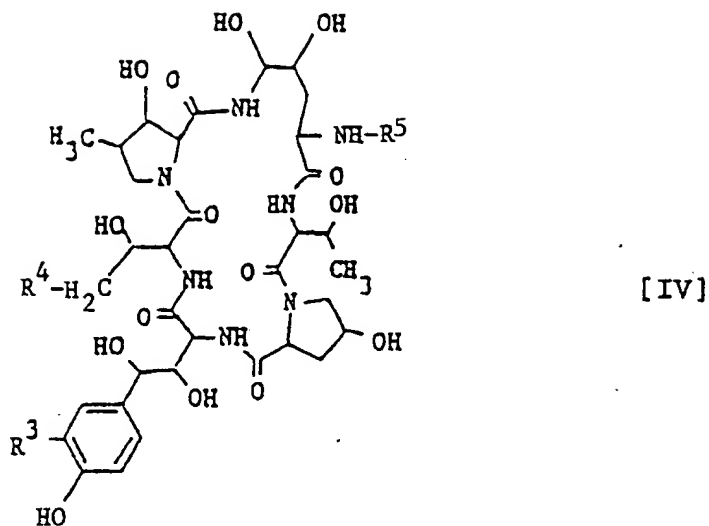
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wherein R<sub>e</sub><sup>1</sup> is pyridylthio(lower)alkanoyl which may have higher alkyl, or a salt thereof, or

v) subjecting a compound of the formula [IV] :

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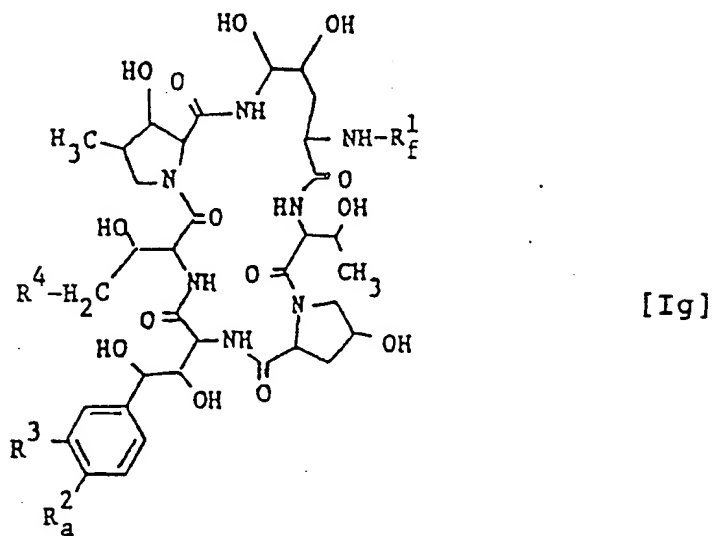


20 wherein

$R^3$  and  $R^4$  are each as defined above, and

$R^5$  is acyl group,

or a salt thereof, to acylation reaction, to give a compound of the formula [Ig] :



45 wherein

$R^3$  and  $R^4$  are each as defined above,

$R_f^1$  is acyl group, and

$R_a^2$  is acyloxy,

or a salt thereof.

- 50 14. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises, as an active ingredient, a compound of claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof in admixture with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient.
- 55 15. Use of a compound of claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof for the manufacture of a medicament for treating or preventing infectious diseases.
16. A compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof for use as a medicament.



17. Use of a compound of claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof for the manufacture of a medicament.

18. A biologically pure culture of the microorganism *Coelomycetes* strain F-11899 (FERM BP-2635).

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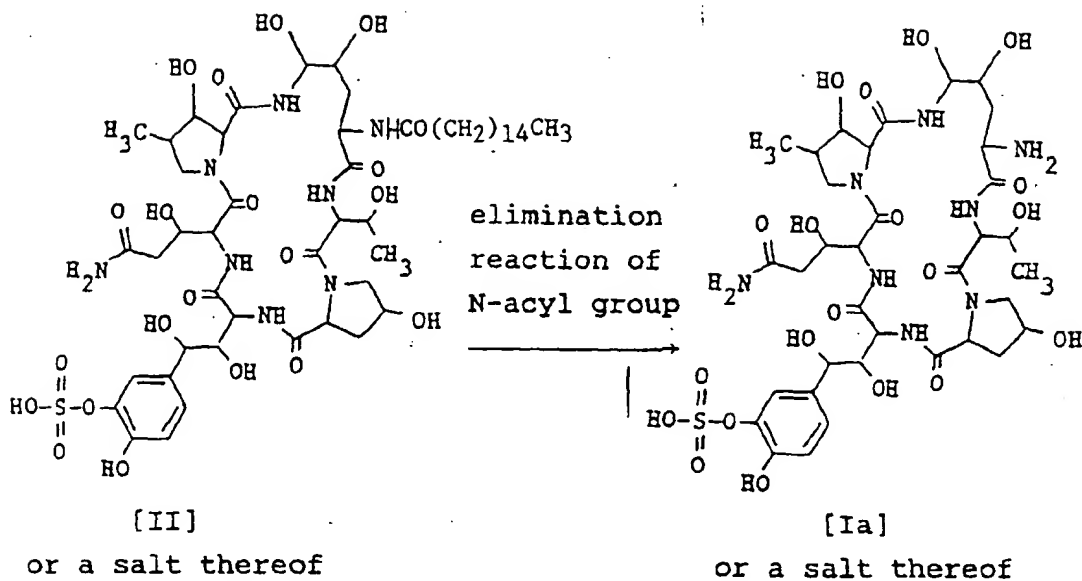
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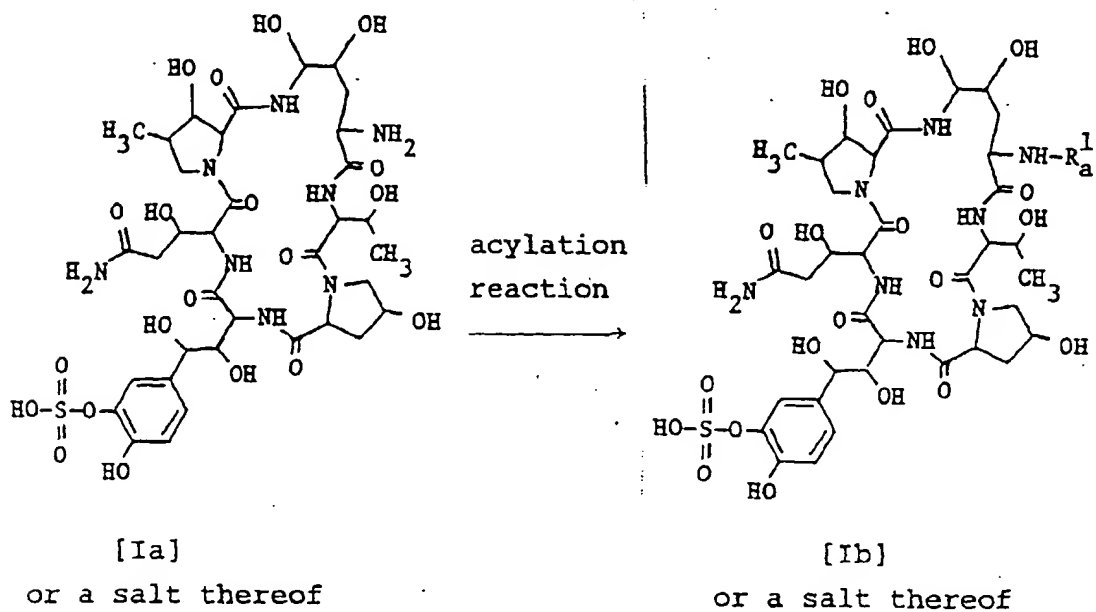
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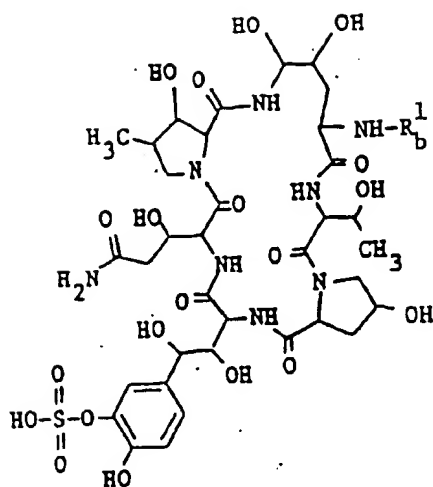
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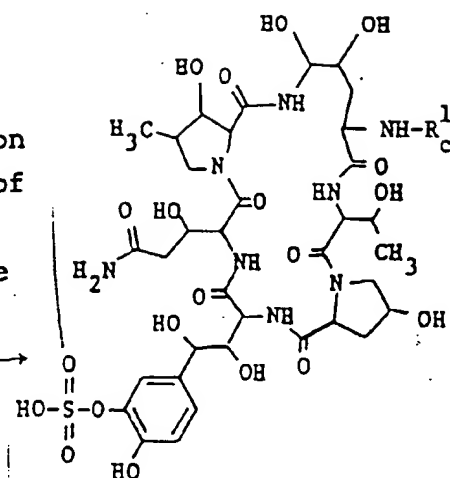
## Process 2



## Process 3



elimination  
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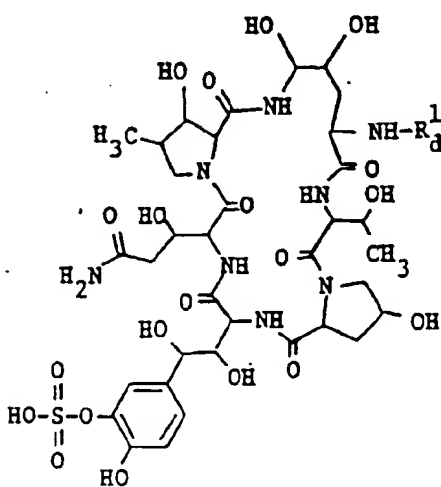
[Ic]

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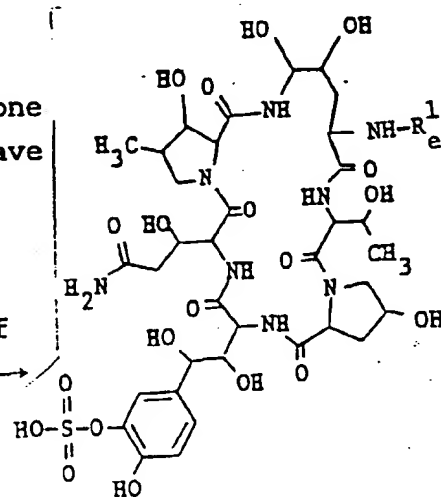
[Id]

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## Process 4



Pyridinethione  
which may have  
C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl  
[III]  
or a salt  
thereof



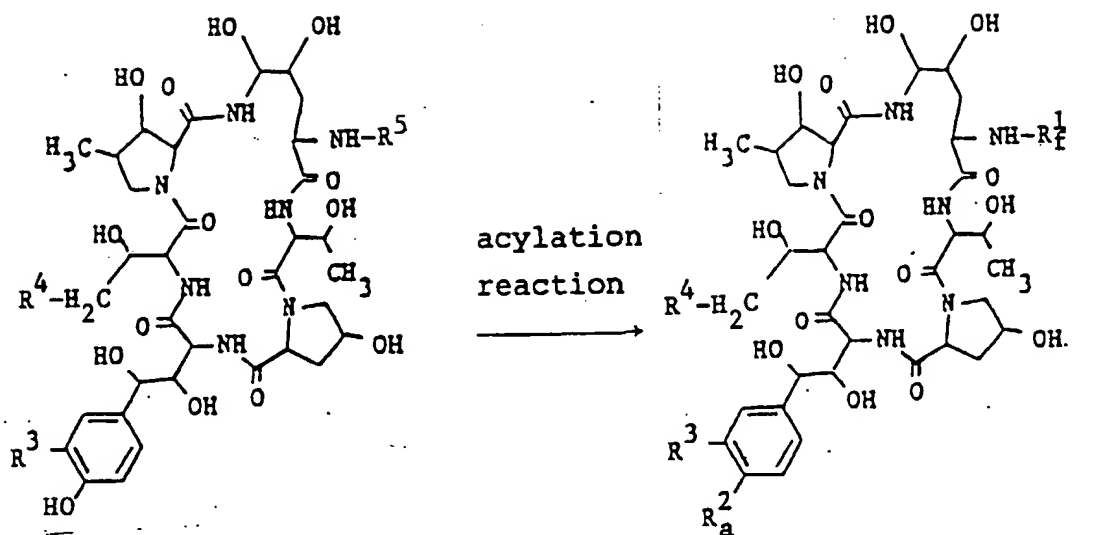
[Ie]

or a salt thereof

[If]

or a salt thereof

## Process 5



[IV]

or a salt thereof

[Ig]

or a salt thereof

wherein  $R^3$  and  $R^4$  are each as defined above,

$R_a^1$  is acyl group exclusive of palmitoyl

$R_b^1$  is ar  $(C_1-C_6)$ alkanoyl which has  $C_7-C_{20}$  alkoxy and protected amino,

$R_c^1$  is ar  $(C_1-C_6)$ alkanoyl which has  $C_7-C_{20}$  alkoxy and amino,

$R_d^1$  is halo  $(C_1-C_6)$ alkanoyl,

$R_e^1$  is pyridylthio  $(C_1-C_6)$ alkanoyl which may have  $C_7-C_{20}$  alkyl,

$R_f^1$  is acyl group,

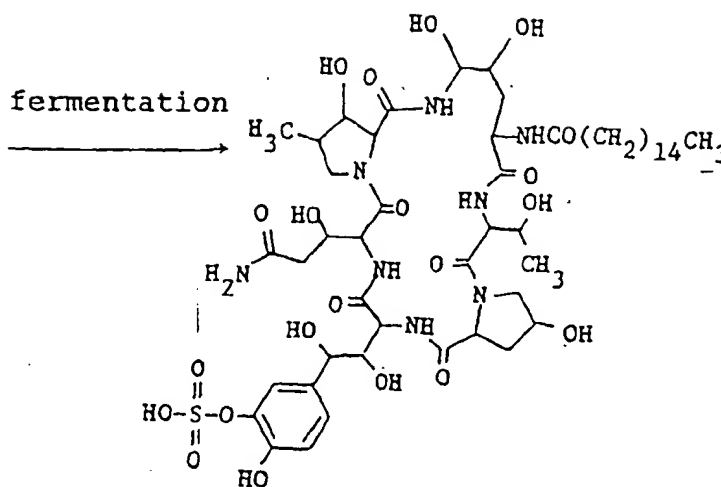
$R_g^2$  is acyloxy, and

$R^3$  is acyl group.

The starting compound [II] or a salt thereof is novel and can be prepared by the following fermentation process.

## Process A

A strain belonging  
to the Coleophoma  
which is capable  
of producing the  
compound [II] or  
a salt thereof



[II]

or a salt thereof

Some of the starting compound [IV] are novel and can be prepared according to the aforesaid Process 1 to 4.

Suitable pharmaceutically acceptable salt of the object compound [I] is conventional non-toxic mono or di salts and include a metal salt such as an alkali metal salt [e.g. sodium salt, potassium salt, etc.] and an alkaline earth metal salt [e.g. calcium salt, magnesium salt, etc.], an ammonium salt, an organic base salt [e.g. trimethylamine salt, triethylamine salt, pyridine salt, picoline salt, dicyclohexylamine salt, N,N-dibenzylethylenediamine salt, etc.] an organic acid addition salt [e.g. formate, acetate, trifluoroacetate, maleate, tartrate, methanesulfonate, benzenesulfonate, toluenesulfonate, etc.], an inorganic acid addition salt [e.g. hydrochloride, hydrobromide, hydroiodide, sulfate, phosphate, etc.], a salt with an amino acid [e.g. arginine salt, aspartic acid salt, glutamic acid salt, etc.], and the like.

In the above and subsequent description of this specification, suitable examples of the various definitions are explained in detail as follows:

The term "C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>" is intended to mean 1 to 6 carbon atom(s), unless otherwise indicated.

The term "C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>" is intended to mean 7 to 20 carbon atoms, unless otherwise indicated.

Suitable "acyl group" may be aliphatic acyl, aromatic acyl, heterocyclic acyl, arylaliphatic acyl and heterocyclic-aliphatic acyl derived from carboxylic acid, carbonic acid, carbamic acid, sulfonic acid, and the like.

Suitable example of the "acyl group" thus explained may be:

C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkanoyl [e.g. formyl, acetyl, propionyl, butyryl, isobutyryl, valeryl, hexanoyl, pivaloyl, etc.] which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) such as halogen (e.g. fluoro, chloro, bromo, iodo); aryl (e.g. phenyl, naphthyl, anthryl, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like hydroxy, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy as explained below, aforesaid aryl, or the like; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy as explained below; amino protected amino, preferably, acylamino such as C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy-carbonylamino (e.g. methoxycarbonylamino, ethoxycarbonylamino, propoxycarbonylamino, butoxycarbonylamino, t-butoxycarbonylamino, pentyloxy-carbonylamino, hexyloxy-carbonylamino, etc.); or the like; di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamino (e.g. dimethylamino, N-methylethylamino, diethylamino, N-propylbutylamino, dipentylamino, dihexylamino, etc.); C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxyimino (e.g. methoxyimino, ethoxyimino, propoxyimino, butoxyimino, t-butoxyimino, pentyloxyimino, hexyloxyimino, etc.); ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino such as phenyl (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino (e.g. benzyloxyimino, phenethyloxyimino, benzhydryloxyimino, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy as explained below, or the like; heterocyclicthio, preferably, pyridylthio, which may have one or more preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl (e.g. heptyl, octyl, 2-ethylhexyl, nonyl, decyl, 3,7-dimethyloctyl, undecyl, dodecyl, tridecyl, tetradecyl, pentadecyl, 3-methyl-10-ethyl-dodecyl, hexadecyl, heptadecyl, octadecyl, nonadecyl, icosyl, etc.), or the like; heterocyclic group (e.g. thienyl, imidazolyl, pyrazolyl, furyl, tetrazolyl, thiazolyl, thiadiazolyl, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like amino, aforesaid protected amino, aforesaid C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl, or the like; or the like;



C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkanoyl [e.g. heptanoyl, octanoyl, nonanoyl, decanoyl, undecanoyl, lauroyl, tridecanoyl, myristoyl, pentadecanoyl, palmitoyl, 10,12-dimethyltetradecanoyl, heptadecanoyl, stearoyl, nonadecanoyl, icosanoyl, etc.];

C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkenoyl [e.g. acryloyl, methacryloyl, crotonoyl, 3-pentenoyl, 5-hexenoyl, etc.] which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) such as aforesaid aryl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy as explained below, or the like, or the like;

C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkenoyl [e.g. 4-heptenoyl, 3-octenoyl, 3,6-decadienoyl, 3,7,11-trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrienoyl, 4,10-heptadecadienoyl, etc.];

C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy carbonyl [e.g. methoxycarbonyl, ethoxycarbonyl, propoxycarbonyl, butoxycarbonyl, t-butoxycarbonyl, pentyloxy carbonyl, hexyloxy carbonyl, etc.];

C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy carbonyl [e.g. heptyloxy carbonyl, octyloxy carbonyl, 2-ethylhexyloxy carbonyl, nonyloxy carbonyl, decyloxy carbonyl, 3,7-dimethyloctyloxy carbonyl, undecyloxy carbonyl, dodecyloxy carbonyl, tridecyloxy carbonyl, tetradecyloxy carbonyl, pentadecyloxy carbonyl, 3-methyl-10-ethyl dodecyloxy carbonyl, hexadecyloxy carbonyl, heptadecyloxy carbonyl, octadecyloxy carbonyl, nonadecyloxy carbonyl, icosyloxy carbonyl, etc.];

aryloxy carbonyl [e.g. phenoxy carbonyl, naphthyl oxy carbonyl, etc.];

arylglyoxyloyl [e.g. phenylglyoxyloyl, naphthylglyoxyloyl, etc.];

ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkoxy carbonyl which may have one or more suitable substituent(s) such as phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkoxy carbonyl which may have nitro or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy [e.g. benzyloxy carbonyl, phenethyloxy carbonyl, p-nitrobenzyloxy carbonyl p-methoxybenzyloxy carbonyl, etc.];

C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkylsulfonyl [e.g. methylsulfonyl, ethylsulfonyl, propylsulfonyl, isopropylsulfonyl, pentylsulfonyl, butylsulfonyl, etc.];

arylsulfonyl [e.g. phenylsulfonyl, naphthylsulfonyl, etc.] which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) such as C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl as explained below, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy as explained below, or the like;

ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkylsulfonyl such as phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkylsulfonyl [e.g. benzylsulfonyl, phenethylsulfonyl, benzhydrylsulfonyl, etc.], or the like;

aroyl [e.g. benzoyl, naphthoyl, anthryl carbonyl, etc.] which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 5) suitable substituent(s) such as aforesaid halogen; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl (e.g. methyl, ethyl propyl, butyl, t-butyl, pentyl, hexyl, etc.); aforesaid C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy (e.g. methoxy, ethoxy, propoxy, butoxy, t-butoxy, pentyloxy, hexyloxy, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 10) suitable substituent(s) like aforesaid C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy, aforesaid halogen, aforesaid aryl, or the like; C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy (e.g. heptyloxy, octyloxy, 2-ethylhexyloxy, nonyloxy, decyloxy, 3,7-dimethyloctyloxy; undecyloxy, dodecyloxy, tridecyloxy, tetradecyloxy, pentadecyloxy, 3-methyl-10-ethyl dodecyloxy, hexadecyloxy, heptadecyloxy, octadecyloxy, nonadecyloxy, icosyloxy, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 17) suitable substituent(s) like aforesaid halogen; C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkenyloxy (e.g. 3-heptenyloxy, 7-octenyloxy, 2,6-octadienyloxy, 5-nonyloxy, 1-decenyloxy, 3,7-dimethyl-6-octenyloxy, 3,7-dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy, 8-undecenyloxy, 3,6,8-dodecatrienyloxy, 5-tridecenyloxy, 7-tetradecenyloxy, 1,8-pentadecadienyloxy, 15-hexadecenyloxy, 11-heptadecenyloxy, 7-octadecenyloxy, 10-nonadecenyloxy, 18-icosenyloxy, etc.); carboxy; aforesaid aryl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like aforesaid C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy; aryloxy (e.g. phenoxy, naphthyloxy, anthryloxy, etc.) which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) suitable substituent(s) like aforesaid C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy, or aforesaid C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy; or the like; or the like.

In said "acyl group", the preferred one may be C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkanoyl; halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkanoyl;

ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkanoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) hydroxy, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy, aryl, amino, protected amino, di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkylamino, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxyimino or ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkoxyimino which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy;

heterocyclicthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkanoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl;

heterocyclic(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkonyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxyimino, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl, amino or protected amino;

ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkoxyimino(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkanoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy;

C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkanoyl;

ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkenoyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy;

C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkenoyl; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy carbonyl; C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy carbonyl; aryloxy carbonyl;

arylsulfonyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3) C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl or C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy;

aroyl which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 5) halogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl, carboxy, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy

which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 10) halogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkoxy, ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkoxy, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>

alkoxy which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 17) halogen, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkenyloxy, aryl which may have one or

more (preferably 1 to 3) C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy or aryloxy which may have one or more (preferably 1 to 3), C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy

or C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy;

in which the more preferred one may be C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkanoyl; halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkanoyl;





phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl or naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl; each of which may have 1 to 3 hydroxy, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy, phenyl, amino, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxycarbonylamino, di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylanino, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxyimino, or phenyl (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkoxyimino which may have 1 to 3 C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy;

pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl;

imidazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl or thiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxyimino, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl, amino or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxycarbonylamino;

phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy; C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkanoyl;

phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 higher alkoxy;

C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkenoyl; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxycarbonyl, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxycarbonyl; phenoxy carbonyl;

phenylsulfonyl or naphthylsulfonyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl or C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy;

benzoyl, naphthoyl or anthrylcarbonyl, each of which may have 1 to 5 halogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl, carboxy, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy which may have 1 to 10 halogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy which may have 12 to 17 halogen, C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkenyloxy, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy, phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkoxy or C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy;

the much more preferred one may be (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl; halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl;

phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 hydroxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl, amino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>) alkoxycarbonylamino, di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkylanino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxyimino or phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxyimino which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxy;

naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxycarbonylamino;

1-(C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkylpyridiniothio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl;

imidazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkyl or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxycarbonylamino;

thiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxyimino or amino;

phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxyimino(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxy;

(C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>17</sub>)alkyl;

phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxy;

(C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkenoyl; (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl; (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl; phenoxy carbonyl;

phenylsulfonyl which may have (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkyl or (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxy;

naphthylsulfonyl which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxy;

benzoyl which may have 1 to 5 halogen, (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkyl, carboxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy which may have 6 to 10 halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>)alkoxy,

phenyl(C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxy which may have 12 to 17 halogen, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>) alkoxy or phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkoxy or (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>) alkoxy;

naphthoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkoxy or (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkenyloxy;

anthrylcarbonyl;

and the most preferred one may be acetyl, 2-bromoacetyl, 2-(4-biphenyl)acetyl, 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl, 2-amino-2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-(t-butoxycarbonylamino)-2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-amino-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl, 2-(t-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl, 2-dimethylamino-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl, 2-(t-butoxycarbonylamino)-2-(2-naphthyl)acetyl, 2-methoxy-2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-methoxyimino-2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)acetyl, 2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)-2-phenylacetyl, 2-(4-octyloxybinzyloxyimino)acetyl, 2-(1-octyl-4-pyridinio)thioacetyl, 2-methoxyimino-2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)acetyl, 2-(t-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-(1-octyl-4-imidazolyl)propionyl, 3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acryloyl, 3,7,11-trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrienoyl, t-butoxycarbonyl, octyloxy carbonyl, phenoxy carbonyl, p-tolylsulfonyl, 4-octyloxyphenylsulfonyl, 6-octyloxy-2-naphthylsulfonyl, 4-(t-butyl) benzoyl, 4-octylbenzoyl, 1,3,5,6-tetrafluoro-4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentyloxy)benzoyl, 4-(2-butoxyethoxy) benzoyl, 4-(4-phenylbutoxy)benzoyl, 4-octyloxybenzoyl, 2-carboxy-4-octyloxybenzoyl, 3-methoxy-4-octyloxybenzoyl, 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,8-pentadecafluorooctyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoyl, 4-(4-octyloxyphenyl) benzoyl, 4-(4-octyloxyphenoxy)benzoyl, 6-butoxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-hexyloxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-octyloxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-(2-ethylhexyloxy)-2-naphthoyl, 6-decyloxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-(3,7-dimethyloctyloxy)-2-naphthoyl, 6-dodecyloxy-2-naphthoyl, 6-(3,7-dimethyl-6-octenyloxy)-2-naphthoyl, 6-(3,7-dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy)-2-naphthoyl, 2-anthrylcarbonyl, 4-(4-heptyloxyphenyl)-benzoyl and 4-(4-hexyloxyphenoxy)benzoyl.

Suitable "acyl group exclusive of palmitoyl" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group" except palmitoyl.

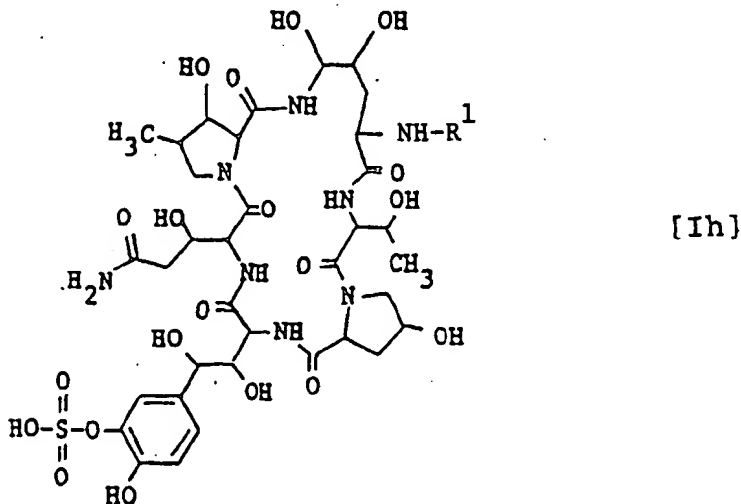
Suitable "ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl" moiety in "ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which has C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy and protected amino" and "ar(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which has C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy and amino" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group" and suitable examples of the substituent(s) "C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkoxy" and "protected amino" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group".

Suitable "halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group".

Suitable "pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl" in "pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl" which may have C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl" can be referred to the ones as exemplified before for "acyl group", and suitable examples of the substituent C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl" can be exemplified before for "acyl group".

Suitable "acyloxy" may include hydroxysulfonyloxy, phosphonoxy, and the like.

In the object compound [I] thus defined, the following compound [Ih] is especially preferable.



wherein R<sup>1</sup> is hydrogen or acyl group, with proviso that R<sup>1</sup> is not palmitoyl.

Suitable "acylating agent" for the acylation reaction in Process 2 may be an acid compound corresponding to the acyl group to be introduced or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof and suitable example of said acylating agent is represented by the formula :



wherein R<sub>a</sub><sup>1</sup> is as defined above,

or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof.

Suitable "pyridinethione" in Process 4 may include 1,2-dihydropyridine-2-thione, 1,4-dihydropyridine-4-thione, and the like, and said "pyridinethione" may have aforesaid "C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub> alkyl".

The processes for preparing the object compound [I] or a salt thereof of the present invention are explained in detail in the following.

#### Process 1

The object compound [Ia] or a salt thereof can be prepared by subjecting a compound [II] or a salt thereof to elimination reaction of N-acyl group.

This reaction is carried out in accordance with a conventional method such as hydrolysis, reduction, reaction with an enzyme or the like.

The hydrolysis is preferably carried out in the presence of a base or an acid including Lewis acid. Suitable base may include an inorganic base and an organic base such as an alkali metal [e.g. sodium, potassium, etc.], an alkaline earth metal [e.g. magnesium, calcium, etc.], the hydroxide or carbonate or bicarbonate thereof, trialkylamine [e.g. trimethylamine, triethylamine, etc.], picoline, 1,5-diazabicyclo[4.3.0]non-5-ene, 1,4-diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane, 1,8-diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene, or the like.

Suitable acid may include an organic acid [e.g. formic acid, acetic acid, propionic acid, trichloroacetic acid, trifluoroacetic acid, etc.] and an inorganic acid [e.g. hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, sulfuric acid, hydrogen chloride, hydrogen bromide, etc.]. The elimination using Lewis acid such as trihaloacetic acid [e.g. trichloroacetic acid, trifluoroacetic acid, etc.] or the like is preferably carried out in the presence of cation trapping agents [e.g. anisole, phenol, etc.].

The reaction is usually carried out in a solvent such as water, an alcohol [e.g. methanol, ethanol, etc.], methylene chloride, tetrahydrofuran, a mixture thereof or any other solvent which does not adversely influence the reaction. A liquid base or acid can be also used as the solvent. The reaction temperature is not critical and the reaction is usually carried out under cooling to warming.

The reduction method applicable for the elimination reaction may include chemical reduction and catalytic reduction.

Suitable reducing agents to be used in chemical reduction are a combination of metal [e.g. tin, zinc, iron, etc.] or metallic compound [e.g. chromium chloride, chromium acetate, etc.] and an organic or inorganic acid [e.g. formic acid, acetic acid, propionic acid, trifluoroacetic acid, p-toluenesulfonic acid, hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, etc.].

Suitable catalysts to be used in catalytic reduction are conventional ones such as platinum catalysts [e.g. platinum plate, spongy platinum, platinum black, colloidal platinum, platinum oxide, platinum wire, etc.], palladium catalysts [e.g. spongy palladium, palladium black, palladium oxide, palladium on carbon, colloidal palladium, palladium on barium sulfate, palladium on barium carbonate, etc.], nickel catalysts [e.g. reduced nickel, nickel oxide, Raney nickel, etc.], cobalt catalysts [e.g. reduced cobalt, Raney cobalt, etc.], iron catalysts [e.g. reduced iron, Raney iron, etc.], copper catalysts [e.g. reduced copper, Raney copper, Ullman copper, etc.] and the like.

The reduction is usually carried out in a conventional solvent which does not adversely influence the reaction such as water, methanol, ethanol, propanol, N,N-dimethylformamide, or a mixture thereof. Additionally, in case that the above-mentioned acids to be used in chemical reduction are in liquid, they can also be used as a solvent. Further, a suitable solvent to be used in catalytic reduction may be the above-mentioned solvent, and other conventional solvents such as diethyl ether, dioxane, tetrahydrofuran, etc., or a mixture thereof.

The reaction temperature of this reduction is not critical and the reaction is usually carried out under cooling to warming.

The reaction with an enzyme can be carried out by reacting the compound [II] or a salt thereof with an enzyme suitable for the elimination reaction of N-acyl group.

Suitable example of said enzyme may include the one produced by certain microorganisms of the Actinoplanaceae, for example, *Actinoplanes utahensis* IFO-13244, *Actinoplanes utahensis* ATCC 12301, *Actinoplanes missouriensis* NRRL 12053, or the like; and the like.

This elimination reaction is usually carried out in a solvent such as phosphate buffer, Tris-HCl buffer or any other solvent which does not adversely influence the reaction.

The reaction temperature is not critical and the reaction can be carried out at room temperature or under warming.

## Process 2

The object compound [Ib] or a salt thereof can be prepared by subjecting the compound [Ia] or a salt thereof to acylation reaction.

The acylation reaction of this process can be carried out by reacting the compound [Ia] or a salt thereof with aforesaid "acylating agent", for example, the compound [V] or its reactive derivative at the carboxy group or a salt thereof.

Suitable reactive derivative at the carboxy group of the compound [V] may include an acid halide, an acid anhydride, an activated amide, an activated ester, and the like. Suitable examples of the reactive derivatives may be an acid chloride; an acid azide; a mixed acid anhydride with an acid such as substituted phosphoric acid [e.g. dialkylphosphoric acid, phenylphosphoric acid, diphenylphosphoric acid, dibenzylphosphoric acid, halogenated phosphoric acid, etc.], dialkylphosphorous acid, sulfurous acid, thiosulfuric acid, sulfuric acid, sulfonic acid [e.g. methanesulfonic acid, etc.], aliphatic carboxylic acid [e.g. acetic acid, propionic acid, butyric acid, isobutyric acid, pivalic acid, pentanoic acid, isopentanoic acid, 2-ethylbutyric acid, trichloroacetic acid, etc.]; or aromatic carboxylic acid [e.g. benzoic acid, etc.]; a symmetrical acid anhydride; an activated amide with imidazole, 4-substituted imidazole, dimethylpyrazole, triazole, tetrazole or 1-hydroxy-1H-benzotriazole; or an activated ester [e.g. cyanomethyl ester, methoxymethyl ester, dimethyliminomethyl [(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>N=CH-] ester, vinyl ester, propargyl ester, p-nitrophenyl ester, 2,4-dinitrophenyl ester, trichlorophenyl ester, pentachlorophenyl ester, mesylphenyl ester, phenylazophenyl ester, phenyl thioester, p-nitrophenyl thioester, p-cresyl thioester, carboxymethyl thioester, pyranil ester, pyridyl ester, piperidyl ester, 8-quinolyl thioester, etc.], or an ester with a N-hydroxy compound [e.g. N,N-dimethylhydroxylamine, 1-hydroxy-2-(1H)-pyridone, N-hydroxysuccinimide, N-hydroxyphthalimide, 1-hydroxy-1H-benzotriazole, etc.], and the like. These reactive derivatives can optionally be selected from them according to the kind of the compound [V] to be used.

Suitable salts of the compound [V] and its reactive derivative can be referred to the ones as exemplified for the compound [I].

The reaction is usually carried out in a conventional solvent such as water, alcohol [e.g. methanol, ethanol, etc.], acetone, dioxane, acetonitrile, chloroform, methylene chloride, ethylene chloride, tetrahydrofuran, ethyl acetate, N,N-dimethylformamide, pyridine or any other organic solvent which does not adversely influence the reaction. These con-

ventional solvent may also be used in a mixture with water.

In this reaction, when the compound [V] is used in a free acid form or its salt form, the reaction is preferably carried out in the presence of a conventional condensing agent such as N,N'-dicyclohexylcarbodiimide; N-cyclohexyl-N'-morpholinoethylcarbodiimide; N-cyclohexyl-N'-(4-diethylaminocyclohexyl)carbodiimide; N,N'-diethylcarbodiimide, N,N'-diisopropylcarbodiimide; N-ethyl-N'-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide, N,N'-carbonylbis-(2-methylimidazole); pentamethyleneketene-N-cyclohexylimine; diphenylketene-N-cyclohexylimine; ethoxyacetylene; 1-alkoxy-1-chloroethylene; trialkyl phosphite; ethyl polyphosphate; isopropyl polyphosphate; phosphorus oxychloride (phosphoryl chloride); phosphorus trichloride; thionyl chloride; oxalyl chloride; lower alkyl haloformate [e.g. ethyl chloroformate, isopropyl chloroformate, etc.]; triphenylphosphine; 2-ethyl-7-hydroxybenzisoxazolium salt; 2-ethyl-5-(m-sulfophenyl)isoxazolium hydroxide intramolecular salt; 1-(p-chlorobenzenesulfonyloxy)-6-chloro-1H-benzotriazole; so-called Vilsmeier reagent prepared by the reaction of N,N-dimethylformamide with thionyl chloride, phosgene, trichloromethyl chloroformate, phosphorus oxychloride, methanesulfonyl chloride, etc.; or the like.

The reaction may also be carried out in the presence of an inorganic or organic base such as an alkali metal carbonate, alkali metal bicarbonate, tri(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamine, pyridine, di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylaminopyridine (e.g. 4-dimethylaminopyridine, etc.), N-(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylmorpholine, N,N-di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylbenzylamine, or the like.

The reaction temperature is not critical, and the reaction is usually carried out under cooling to warming.

### Process 3

The object compound [Id] or a salt thereof can be prepared by subjecting a compound [Ic] or a salt thereof to elimination reaction of amino protective group.

Suitable salts of the compounds [Ic] and [Id] can be referred to the ones as exemplified for the compound [I].

This elimination reaction can be carried out in accordance with a conventional method as explained above for

### Process 1.

### Process 4

The object compound [If] or a salt thereof can be prepared by reacting a compound [Ie] or a salt thereof with a compound [III] or a salt thereof.

Suitable salt of the compound [If] can be referred to the ones as exemplified for the compound [I].

Suitable salts of the compound [III] can be referred to acid addition salts as exemplified for the compound [I].

The present reaction may be carried out in a solvent such as water, phosphate buffer, acetone, chloroform, acetonitrile, nitrobenzene, methylene chloride, ethylene chloride, formamide, N,N-dimethylformamide, methanol, ethanol, diethyl ether, tetrahydrofuran, dimethyl sulfoxide, or any other organic solvent which does not adversely affect the reaction, preferably in ones having strong polarities. Among the solvents, hydrophilic solvents may be used in a mixture with water. When the compound [III] is in liquid, it can also be used as a solvent.

The reaction is preferably conducted in the presence of a base, for example, inorganic base such as alkali metal hydroxide, alkali metal carbonate, alkali metal bicarbonate, organic base such as trialkylamine, and the like.

The reaction temperature is not critical, and the reaction is usually carried out under cooling, at room temperature, under warming or under heating.

The present reaction is preferably carried out in the presence of alkali metal halide [e.g. sodium iodide, potassium iodide, etc.], alkali metal thiocyanate [e.g. sodium thiocyanate, potassium thiocyanate, etc.] or the like.

### Process 5

The object compound [Ig] or a salt thereof can be prepared by subjecting a compound [IV] or a salt thereof to acylation reaction.

Suitable salts of the compounds [Ig] and [IV] can be referred to the ones as exemplified for the compound [I].

Suitable "acylating agent" in this Process 5 may be an acid compound corresponding to the acyl group to be introduced, for example, phosphoric acid and its derivative (e.g. phosphoryl chloride, diphenylphosphorochloridate, etc.), sulfuric acid and its derivative [e.g. sulfur trioxide-pyridine, sulfur trioxide-tri(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamine (e.g. trimethylamine, triethylamine, etc.), chlorosulfonic acid, etc.], or the like.

This reaction can be carried out in a conventional manner.

The process for preparing the starting compound [II] or a salt thereof of the present invention is explained in detail in the following.

Process A

The compound [II] or a salt thereof can be prepared by the fermentation process.

The fermentation process is explained in detail in the following.

The compound [II] or a salt thereof of this invention can be produced by fermentation of the compound [II] or a salt thereof-producing strain belonging to the genus Coleophoma such as Coleophoma sp. F-11899 in a nutrient medium.

(i) Microorganism :

Particulars of the microorganism used for producing the compound [II] or a salt thereof is explained in the following.

The strain F-11899 was originally isolated from a soil sample collected at Iwaki-shi, Fukushima-ken, Japan. This organism grew rather restrictedly on various culture media, and formed dark grey to brownish grey colonies. Anamorph (conidiomata) produced on a steam-sterilized leaf segment affixed on a Miura's LCA plate<sup>1)</sup> or a corn meal agar plate by inoculating the isolate, while neither teleomorph nor anamorph formed on the agar media. Its morphological, cultural and physiological characteristics are as follows.

Cultural characteristics on various agar media are summarized in Table 1. Cultures on potato dextrose agar grew rather rapidly, attaining 3.5-4.0 cm in diameter after two weeks at 25°C. This colony surface was plane, felty, somewhat wrinkly and brownish grey. The colony center was pale grey to brownish grey, and covered with aerial hyphae. The reverse color was dark grey. Colonies on malt extract agar grew more restrictedly, attaining 2.5-3.0 cm in diameter under the same conditions. The surface was plane, thin to felty and olive brown. The colony center was yellowish grey, and covered with aerial hyphae. The reverse was brownish grey.

The morphological characteristics were determined on basis of the cultures on a sterilized leaf affixed to a Miura's LCA plate. Conidiomata formed on the leaf segment alone. They were pycnidial, superficial, separate, discoid to ampulliform, flattened at the base, unilocular, thin-walled, black, 9.0-160(-200) µm in diameter and 40-70 µm high. Ostiole was often single, circular, central, papillate, 10-30 µm in diameter and 10-20 µm high. Conidiophores formed from the lower layer of inner pycnidial walls. They were hyaline, simple or sparingly branched, septate and smooth. Conidiogenous cells were enteroblastic, phialidic, determinate, ampulliform to obpyriform, hyaline, smooth, 5-8 x 4-6 µm, with a collarette. The collarettes were campanulate to cylindrical, and 14-18 x 3-5 µm. Conidia were hyaline, cylindrical, thin-walled, aseptate, smooth and 14-16(-18) x 2-3 µm.

The vegetative hyphae were septate, brown, smooth and branched. The hyphal cells were cylindrical and 2-7 µm thick. The chlamydospores were absent.

The strain F-11899 had a temperature range for growth of 0 to 31°C and an optimum temperature of 23 to 27°C on potato dextrose agar.

The above characteristics indicate that the strain F-11899 belongs to the order Coelomycetes<sup>2), 3), 4)</sup>. Thus, we named the strain "Coelomycetes strain F-11899".

Table 1 Cultural characteristics of the strain F-11899

5	Medium	Cultural characteristics
10	Malt extract agar (Blakeslee 1915)	G: Rather restrictedly, 2.5-3.0 cm S: Circular, plane, thin to felty, olive brown (4F5), arising aerial hyphae at the center (yellowish grey (4B2)) R: Brownish grey (4F2)
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20	Potato dextrose agar (Difco 0013)	G: Rather rapidly, 3.5-4.0 cm S: Circular, plane, felty, somewhat wrinkly, brownish grey (4F2), arising aerial hyphae at the center (pale grey (4B1) to brownish grey (4F2)) R: Dark grey (4F1)
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30	Czapeck's solution agar (Raper and Thom 1949)	G: Very restrictedly, 1.0-1.5 cm S: Irregular, thin, scanty, immersed, subhyaline to white R: Subhyaline to white
35		
40	Sabouraud dextrose agar (Difco 0109)	G: Restrictedly, 2.0-2.5 cm S: Circular, plane, thin, white, sectoring, light brown (6D5) at the colony center R: Pale yellow (4A3)
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50	Oatmeal agar (Difco 0552)	G: Fairly rapidly, 4.0-4.5 cm S: Circular, plane, felty to cottony, dark grey (4F1) to brownish grey (4F2) R: Brownish grey (4D2)
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Medium	Cultural characteristics
Emerson Yp Ss agar (Difco 0739)	G: Restrictedly, 2.0-2.5 cm S: Circular to irregular, plane, felty, dark grey (4F1) to brownish grey (4F2) R: Medium grey (4E1) to dark grey (4F1)
Corn meal agar (Difco 0386)	G: Rather restrictedly, 2.5-3.0 cm S: Circular, plane, thin to felty, dark grey (2F1) to olive (2F3) R: Dark grey (2F1) to olive (2F3)
MY20 agar	G: Restrictedly, 1.5-2.0 cm S: Circular to irregular, thin, sectoring, yellowish white (4A2) R: Pale yellow (4A3) to orange white (5A2)

Abbreviations : G: growth, measuring colony size in  
diameter

S: colony surface

R: reverse

These characteristics were observed after 14 days of incubation at 25°C. The color descriptions were based on the Methuen Handbco of Colour<sup>5</sup>).

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A culture of Coelomycetes strain F-11899 thus. named has been deposited with the Fermentation Research Institute Agency of Industrial Science and Technology (1-3, Higashi 1 chome, Tsukuba-shi, IBARAKI 305 JAPAN) on October 26, 1989 under the number of FERM BP-2635.

After that, however, we have further studied the classification of the strain F-11899, and have found that the strain F-11899 resembled Coleophoma empetri (Rostrup) Petrak 1929 2), 3), 4) belonging to the order Coelomycetes, but differed in some pycnidial characteristics : globose or flattened at the base, immersed, and not papillate.

Considering these characteristics, we classified this strain in more detail and renamed it as "Coleophoma sp. F-11899".

In this connection, we have already taken step to amend the name, "Coelomycetes strain F-11899" to Coleophoma sp. F-11899 with the Fermentation Research Institute Agency of Industrial Science and Technology on September 21, 1990.

(ii) Production of the compound [II] or a salt thereof

The compound [II] or a salt thereof of this invention is produced when the compound [II] or a salt thereof-producing strain belonging to the genus Coleophoma is grown in a nutrient medium containing sources of assimilable carbon and nitrogen under aerobic conditions (e.g. shaking culture, submerged culture, etc.).

The preferred sources of carbon in the nutrient medium are carbohydrates such as glucose, sucrose, starch, fructose or glycerin, or the like.

The preferred sources of nitrogen are yeast extract, peptone, gluten meal, cotton seed flour, soybean meal, corn steep liquor, dried yeast, wheat germ, etc., as well as inorganic and organic nitrogen compounds such as ammonium salts (e.g. ammonium nitrate, ammonium sulfate, ammonium phosphate, etc.), urea or amino acid, or the like.

The carbon and nitrogen sources, though advantageously employed in combination, need not to be used in their pure form because less pure materials, which contain traces of growth factors and considerable quantities of mineral nutrients, are also suitable for use.

When desired, there may be added to the medium mineral salts such as sodium or calcium carbonate, sodium or potassium phosphate, sodium or potassium chloride, sodium or potassium iodide, magnesium salts, copper salts, zinc salt, or cobalt salts, or the like.

If necessary, especially when the culture medium foams seriously a defoaming agent, such as liquid paraffin, fatty oil, plant oil, mineral oil or silicone, or the like may be added.

As in the case of the preferred methods used for the production of other biologically active substances in massive amounts, submerged aerobic cultural conditions are preferred for the production of the compound [II] or a salt thereof in massive amounts.

For the production in small amounts, a shaking or surface culture in a flask or bottle is employed.

Further, when the growth is carried out in large tanks, it is preferable to use the vegetative form of the organism for inoculation in the production tanks in order to avoid growth lag in the process of production of the compound [II] or a salt thereof. Accordingly, it is desirable first to produce a vegetative inoculum of the organism by inoculating a relatively small quantity of culture medium with spores or mycelia of the organism and culturing said inoculated medium, and then to transfer the cultured vegetative inoculum to large tanks. The medium, in which the vegetative inoculum is produced, is substantially the same as or different from the medium utilized for the production of the compound [II] or a salt thereof.

Agitation and aeration of the culture mixture may be accomplished in a variety of ways. Agitation may be provided by a propeller or similar mechanical agitation equipment, by revolving or shaking the fermentor, by various pumping equipment or by the passage of sterile air through the medium. Aeration may be effected by passing sterile air through the fermentation mixture.

The fermentation is usually conducted at a temperature between about 10°C and 40°C, preferably 20°C to 30°C, for a period of about 50 hours to 150 hours, which may be varied according to fermentation conditions and scales.

When the fermentation is completed, the culture broth is then subjected for recovery of the compound [II] or a salt thereof to various procedures conventionally used for recovery and purification of biological active substances, for instance, solvent extraction with an appropriate solvent or a mixture of some solvents, chromatography or recrystallization from an appropriate solvent or a mixture of some solvents, or the like.

According to this invention, in general, the compound [II] or a salt thereof is found both in the cultured mycelia and cultured broth. Accordingly, then the compound [II] or a salt thereof is removed from the whole broth by means of extraction using an appropriate organic solvent such as acetone or ethyl acetate, or a mixture of these solvents, or the like.

The extract is treated by a conventional manner to provide the compound [II] or a salt thereof, for example, the extract is concentrated by evaporation or distillation to a smaller amount and the resulting residue containing active material, i.e. the compound [II] or a salt thereof is purified by conventional purification procedures, for example, chromatography or recrystallization from an appropriate solvent or a mixture of some solvents.

When the object compound is isolated as a salt of the compound [II], it can be converted to the free compound [II] or another salt of the compound [II] according to a conventional manner.



Biological properties of the polypeptide compound [I] of the present invention

In order to show the usefulness of the polypeptide compound [I] of the present invention, some biological data of the representative compounds are explained in the following.

Test 1 Antimicrobial activity (1) :

Antimicrobial activity of the compound of Example 2 disclosed later (hereinafter referred to as FR131535 substance) was measured by micro-broth dilution method in 96 well multi-trays employing yeast nitrogen base dextrose medium. To a 50  $\mu$ l sample solution with serial 2-fold dilution was added a 50  $\mu$ l of microorganism suspension in saline to yield a final concentration of  $1 \times 10^5$  colony forming units/ml. The Candida cultures were incubated at 37°C for 22 hours. After incubation, the growth of microorganism in each well was determined by measuring the turbidity. The results were shown as  $IC_{50}$  value in which concentration the turbidity was half of that in the well without sample. The results are shown in Table 2.

Table 2

organism	$IC_{50}$
<u>Candida albicans FP578</u>	0.31
<u>Candida tropicalis YC118</u>	0.47

Test 2 Acute toxicity of FR131535 substance :

The acute toxicity of the FR131535 substance was determined to ICR mice (female, 4 weeks old) by a single intravenous injection. No toxic symptom was observed at the dose of 500 mg/kg.

Test 3 Antimicrobial activity (2) :

In vitro antimicrobial activity of the compound of Example 12 disclosed later (hereinafter referred to as FR139687 substance) was determined by the two-fold agar-plate dilution method as described below.

One loopful of an overnight culture of each test microorganism in Sabouraud broth containing 2 % Glucose ( $10^5$  viable cells per ml) was streaked on yeast nitrogen base dextrose agar (YNBDA) containing graded concentrations of the FR139687 substance, and the minimal inhibitory concentration (MIC) was expressed in terms of  $\mu$ g/ml after incubation at 30°C for 24 hours.

organism	MIC ( $\mu$ g/ml)
<u>Candida albicans YU-1200</u>	0.05

From the test results, it is realized that the polypeptide compound [I] of the present invention has an anti-microbial activity (especially, antifungal activity).

The pharmaceutical composition of this invention can be used in the form of a pharmaceutical preparation, for example, in solid, semisolid or liquid form, which contains the polypeptide compound [I] or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as an active ingredient in admixture with an organic or inorganic carrier or excipient suitable for rectal, pulmonary (nasal or buccal inhalation), nasal, ocular, external (topical), oral or parenteral (including subcutaneous, intravenous and intramuscular) administrations or insufflation. The active ingredient may be compounded, for example, with the usual non-toxic, pharmaceutically acceptable carriers for tablets, pellets, troches, capsules, suppositories, creams, ointments, aerosols, powders for insufflation, solutions, emulsions, suspensions, and any other form suitable for use. And, if necessary, in addition, auxiliary, stabilizing, thickening and coloring agents and perfumes may be used. The polypeptide compound [I] or a pharmaceutical acceptable salt thereof is/are included in the pharmaceutical composition in an amount sufficient to produce the desired antimicrobial effect upon the process or condition of diseases.

For applying the composition to human, it is preferable to apply it by intravenous, intramuscular, pulmonary, or oral administration, or insufflation. While the dosage of therapeutically effective amount of the polypeptide compound [I] varies from and also depends upon the age and condition of each individual patient to be treated, in the case of intravenous administration, a daily dose of 0.01 - 20 mg of the polypeptide compound [I] per kg weight of human being, in the case of intramuscular administration, a daily dose of 0.1 - 20 mg of the polypeptide compound [I] per kg weight of human being, in case of oral administration, a daily dose of 0.5 - 50 mg of the polypeptide compound [I] per kg weight of human being is generally given for treating or preventing infectious diseases.

The following Preparations and Examples are given for the purpose of illustrating the present invention in more detail.

#### Preparation 1

To methanol (50 ml) was added thionyl chloride (8.73 ml) at -5°C and the mixture was stirred for 10 minutes and then D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine (5 g) was added thereto under ice-cooling. The mixture was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was evaporated under reduced pressure to give D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester hydrochloride (6.3 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3380, 1720, 1580, 1250 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, δ) : 3.70 (3H, s), 5.11 (1H, s), 6.83 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.28 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 8.91 (2H s), 9.93 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 2

To a solution of D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester hydrochloride (6.3 g) and triethylamine (8.71 ml) in tetrahydrofuran (100 ml) was added di-t-butyl dicarbonate (6.82 g). The mixture was stirred for 2 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to diethyl ether (1 ℓ) and an insoluble material was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester (6.83 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3420, 3350, 1720, 1660 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, δ) : 1.38 (9H, s), 3.59 (3H, s), 5.05 (1H, d, J=7.9Hz), 6.70 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.16 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.60 (1H, d, J=7.9Hz), 9.48 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 3

To a suspension of N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-hydroxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester (6.8 g) and potassium bicarbonate (1.84 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (34 ml) was added octyl bromide (4.176 ml). The mixture was stirred for 6 hours at 60°C. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and ethyl acetate. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester (6.96 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1710, 1490, 1240, 1160 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, δ) : 0.859 (3H, t, J=6.2Hz), 1.17-1.33 (10H, m), 1.38 (9H, s), 1.60-1.80 (2H, m), 3.59 (3H, s), 3.93 (2H, t, J=6.3Hz), 5.11 (1H, d, J=7.9Hz), 6.87 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.27 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.68 (1H, d, J=7.9Hz)

#### Preparation 4

To 4N aqueous solution of sodium hydroxide (8.77 ml) was added N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine methyl ester (6.9 g) and stirred for 1.5 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and ethyl acetate and 1N hydrochloric acid was added thereto to adjust the mixture to pH 3. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine (3.9 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1710, 1490, 1240, 1160 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, δ) : 0.860 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.17-1.33 (10H, m), 1.38 (9H, s), 1.60-1.80 (2H, m), 3.93 (2H, t, J=6.4Hz), 5.10 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.87 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.28 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.46 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz)

#### Preparation 5

To a solution of N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine (1 g) in acetonitrile (10 ml) and pyridine (0.213 ml) in acetonitrile (10 ml) was added N,N'-disuccinimidyl carbonate (0.675 g). The mixture was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and ethyl acetate. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine succinimido ester (0.92 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1810, 1730, 1680 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>, δ) : 0.862 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.17-1.33 (10H, m), 1.40 (9H, s), 1.60-1.80 (2H, m), 2.77 (4H, s), 3.97 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 5.54 (1H, d, J=8.1Hz), 6.91 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.39 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 8.05 (1H, d, J=8.1Hz)

Preparation 6

N-(t-Butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine methyl ester was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 2.

IR (Nujol) : 3430, 3360, 1730, 1670, 1170  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.33 (9H, s), 2.90 (2H, m), 3.59 (3H, s), 4.05 (1H, m), 6.65 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.00 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.21 (1H, d,  $J=8.0\text{Hz}$ ), 9.22 (1H, s)

Preparation 7

O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine methyl ester was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1735, 1685, 1250, 1170  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.859 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.68 (2H, quintet,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 2.82 (2H, m), 3.60 (3H, s), 3.91 (2H, t,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.08 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.25 (1H, d,  $J=8.0\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 8

O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 4.

IR (Nujol) : 3400-2900 (br), 1700, 1240, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.859 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.32 (9H, s), 1.68 (2H, quintet,  $J=7.0\text{Hz}$ ), 2.67-2.95 (1H, m), 3.90 (2H, t,  $J=7.0\text{Hz}$ ), 4.01 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.02 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.13 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 9

O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine succinimido ester was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1780, 1720, 1690  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.860 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.32 (9H, s), 1.68 (2H, quintet,  $J=7.0\text{Hz}$ ), 2.82 (4H, s), 2.80-3.20 (1H, m), 3.92 (2H, t,  $J=7.0\text{Hz}$ ), 4.44 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.60 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 10

(1) A seed medium (160 ml) consisting of sucrose 4%, cotton seed flour 2%, dried yeast 1%, peptone 1%,  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  0.2%,  $\text{CaCO}_3$  0.2% and Tween 80 (made by NAKARAI CHEMICALS LTD.) 0.1% was poured into each of two 500 ml Erlenmeyer flasks and sterilized at 121°C for 30 minutes. A loopful of slant culture of Coleophoma sp. F-11899 was inoculated to each of the medium and cultured under shaking condition at 25°C for 4 days.

A production medium (20 liters) consisting of Pine Dex #3 (made by Matsutani Chemical Ltd.) 3%, glucose 1%, wheat germ 1%, cotton seed flour 0.5%,  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  2%,  $\text{Na}_2\text{HPO}_4 \cdot 12\text{H}_2\text{O}$  1.5%,  $\text{ZnSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$  0.001% and Adekanol (defoaming agent, made by Asahi Denka Co., Ltd.) 0.05% was poured into a 30 liter-jar fermentor and sterilized at 121°C for 30 minutes.

The resultant seed culture broth (320 ml) was inoculated to the production medium and cultured at 25°C for 4 days, agitated at 200 rpm and aerated at 20 liters per minute. To the cultured broth thus obtained (20 liters) was added an equal volume of acetone. After occasionally stirring at room temperature for a while, the broth was filtered. The filtrate was concentrated in vacuo to remove acetone. The aqueous filtrate (10 liters) was washed with two equal volume of ethyl acetate and extracted with n-butanol (10 liters) twice. The combined n-butanol layer was concentrated in vacuo and the residue was applied on a column (300 ml) of Silica gel 60 (made by E. Merck) and eluted with a stepwise organic solvent mixture consisting of dichloromethane-methanol. The fractions having anti-Candida activity were eluted in the range of the solvent mixture (3:1 through 1:1). The active fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo to dryness. The residue was dissolved in 50% aqueous methanol (15 ml) and applied on a column (250 ml) of ODS YMC GEL (made by Yamamura Chemical Lab.). The column was washed with 50% aqueous methanol and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The eluate was concentrated and was further purified on a centrifugal partition chromatography (CPC) using a solvent system n-butanol:methanol:water (4:1:5) of upper stationary phase and lower mobile phase in a descending model. The pooled fractions containing the object compound (major component) were concentrated in vacuo and applied on a column (35 ml) of silica gel 60. The column was developed with n-butanol:acetic acid:water (6:1:1). The active fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo to dryness and dissolved in a small volume of 50% aqueous methanol. The solution was passed through a column (3.5 ml) of ODS YMC GEL. The column was

washed with 50% aqueous methanol and eluted with methanol. The eluate was concentrated to dryness, dissolved in a small volume of water and adjusted to pH 7.0 with 0.01N NaOH. The solution was freeze-dried to give a white powder of said compound in its sodium salt form (hereinafter referred to as FR901379 substance) (11 mg).

The FR901379 substance as obtained has the following physico-chemical properties.

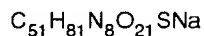
Appearance :  
white powder

Nature :  
neutral substance

Melting point :  
215-221°C (dec.)

Specific rotation :  
 $[\alpha]_D^{23}$  -20.3 (C: 0.5, H<sub>2</sub>O)

Molecular formula :



Elemental Analysis :

Calcd. :	for C <sub>51</sub> H <sub>81</sub> N <sub>8</sub> SO <sub>21</sub> Na			
	C 51.17,	H 6.77,	N 9.36,	S 2.68 (%)
Found :	C 49.61,	H 7.58,	N 7.65,	S 2.14 (%)

Molecular weight :  
HRFAB-MS : 1219.5078  
(Calcd for C<sub>51</sub>H<sub>82</sub>N<sub>8</sub>SO<sub>21</sub> + 2Na - H: 1219.5032)

Solubility :

soluble : methanol, water  
slightly soluble : ethyl acetate, acetone  
insoluble : chloroform, n-hexane

Color reaction :

positive : iodine vapor reaction, cerium sulfate reaction, ferric chloride reaction, Ninhydrin reaction  
negative : Dragendorff reaction, Ehrlich reaction

Thin layer chromatography (TLC) :

Stationary phase	Developing solvent	Rf value
silica gel*	n-butanol:acetic acid; water (3:1:1)	0.36
	ethyl acetate:isopropyl alcohol:water (5:3:1)	0.31

\* Silica Gel 60 (made by E. Merck)

Ultraviolet absorption spectrum :

$\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{methanol}}$  (E<sub>1cm</sub><sup>1%</sup>) : 207(169), 276(13.5), 225(sh), 283(sh) nm  
 $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{methanol}+0.01N\text{-NaOH}}$  (E<sub>1cm</sub><sup>1%</sup>) : 209(232), 244(59.5), 284(13.5), 294(sh) nm

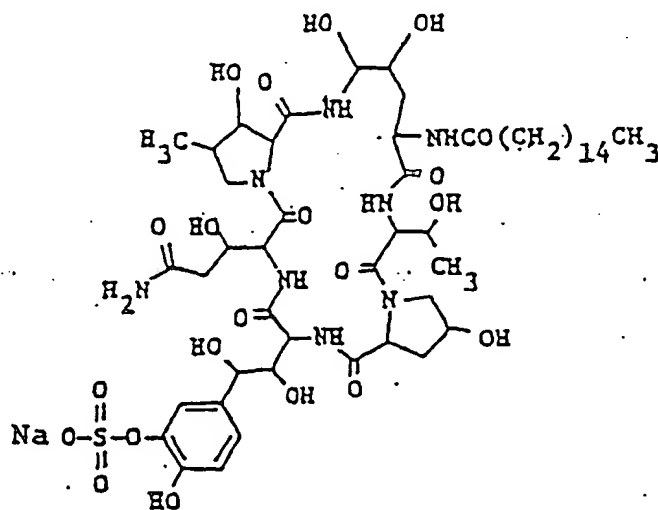
Infrared absorption spectrum :

$\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$  : 3350, 2920, 2840, 1660, 1625, 1530, 1510, 1435, 1270, 1240, 1070, 1045, 800, 755, 710 cm<sup>-1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H Nuclear magnetic resonance spectrum :  
(CD<sub>3</sub>OD, 400MHz)

δ : 7.30 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8 and 2Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8Hz), 5.23 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.06 (1H, d, J=4Hz), 4.93 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.59-4.51 (3H, m), 4.47-4.35 (5H, m), 4.29 (1H, dd, J=6 and 2Hz), 4.17 (1H, m), 4.07 (1H, m), 3.95-3.89 (2H, m), 3.76 (1H, broad d, J=11Hz), 3.36 (1H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd, J=16 and 4Hz), 2.50 (1H, m), 2.47 (1H, dd, J=16 and 9Hz), 2.38 (1H, m), 2.21 (2H, m), 2.03-1.93 (3H, m), 1.57 (2H, m), 1.45-1.20 (24H, m), 1.19 (3H, d, J=6Hz), 1.08 (3H, d, J=6Hz), 0.90 (3H, t, J=7Hz)

From the analysis of the above physical and chemical properties, and the result of the further investigation of identification of chemical structure, the chemical structure of the FR901379 substance has been identified and assigned as follows.



### Example 1

N-acyl group of FR901379 substance was eliminated by the reaction with an enzyme. In the following, this elimination process is explained in detail.

#### (1) Fermentation of *Actinoplanes utahensis*

The enzyme which is useful for eliminating N-acyl group of FR901379 substance is produced by certain microorganisms of the Actinoplanaceae, preferably the microorganism *Actinoplanes utahensis* IFO-13244.

A stock culture of *Actinoplanes utahensis* IFO-13244 is prepared and maintained on agar slant. A loopful of the slant culture was inoculated into a seed medium consisted of starch 1%, sucrose 1%, glucose 1%, cotton seed flour 1%, peptone 0.5%, soy bean meal 0.5% and CaCO<sub>3</sub> 0.1%. The inoculated vegetative medium was incubated in a 225-ml wide mouth Erlenmeyer flask at 30°C for about 72 hours on a rotary shaker.

This incubated vegetative medium was used directly to inoculate into a production medium consisted of sucrose 2%, peanut powder 1%, K<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub> 0.12%, KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> 0.05% and MgSO<sub>4</sub> 7H<sub>2</sub>O 0.025%. The inoculated production medium was allowed to ferment in a 30-liter jar fermentor at a temperature of 30°C for about 80 hours. The fermentation medium was stirred with conventional agitators at 250 rpm and aerated at 20 liters per minute. The vegetative mycelium was collected from the fermented broth by filtration and once washed with water. The washed mycelium was directly used to eliminate N-acyl group of FR901379 substance as an enzyme source.

#### (2) Elimination Condition

FR901379 substance was dissolved in 0.25 M phosphate buffer (pH 6.5) at a concentration of 0.9 mg/ml. To a 36-liter of the solution was added a 2 kg wet weight of washed mycelium of *Actinoplanes utahensis* IFO-13244. The

elimination reaction was carried out at 37°C under for 23 hours. Reduction of FR901379 substance and increase of the deacylated FR901379 substance (hereinafter referred to as FR1333.03 substance) were measured using a HELC equipped with a reverse phase column. From a 30 g of FR901379 substance, a 22.2 g of FR133303 substance was formed in the reaction mixture.

### (3) Isolation of FR133303 Substance

The reaction mixture described above was filtered with a filter aid. The mycelial cake was discarded. The filtrate thus obtained was passed through a column of activated carbon (2 L). The column was washed with 6 L of water and eluted with 12 L of 50% aqueous acetone. The eluate was evaporated in vacuo to remove acetone and then passed through a column (4 L) of YMC GEL ODS-AM 120-S50 (Yamamura Chemical Labs). The column was washed with water and eluted with 2% aqueous acetonitrile containing 50 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>. Elution was monitored by analytical HPLC, using a column of Lichrospher 100 RE-18 (Cica-MERCK) and a solvent system of 3% aqueous acetonitrile containing 0.5% NB<sub>4</sub>H<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> at a flow rate of 1 ml/min, detecting the FR133303 substance with a UV monitor at 210 nm. The fractions containing the FR133303 substance were combined and passed through a column of activated carbon (400 ml). The column was washed with water and eluted with 50% aqueous acetone. The eluate was concentrated in vacuo to remove acetone and lyophilized to give 16.4 g of FR133303 substance as a white powder. FR133303 substance has following physico-chemical properties :

Appearance :

white powder

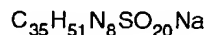
Melting point :

150-160°C (dec.)

Specific rotation :

$[\alpha]_D^{24}$  -31.17° (C: 1.0, H<sub>2</sub>O)

Molecular formula :



Elemental Analysis :

Calcd. :	for C <sub>35</sub> H <sub>51</sub> N <sub>8</sub> SO <sub>20</sub> Na			
	C 43.84,	H 5.36,	N 11.69,	S 3.34 (%)
Found :	C 41.14,	H 5.74,	N 10.88,	S 3.10 (%)

solubility :

soluble : water

slightly soluble : methanol

insoluble : n-hexane

Color reaction :

positive : iodine vapor reaction, cerium sulfate reaction, Ninhydrin reaction

negative : Molish reaction

Thin layer chromatography (TLC)

Stationary phase	Developing solvent	Rf value
silica gel*	n-butanol:acetic acid water (3:1:2)	0.15

\* Silica Gel 60 (made by E. Merck)

Ultraviolet absorption spectrum :

$\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{H}_2\text{O}}$  (E<sub>1 cm</sub><sup>1%</sup>) : 201(340), 273(18), 224(sh), 281(sh) nm

$\lambda_{\text{H}_2\text{O}+0.01\text{N-NaOH}}$  max (E<sub>1</sub><sup>1%</sup><sub>cm</sub>) : 207(414), 243(122), 292 (34)

Infrared absorption spectrum :

5  $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$  : 3350, 2920, 1660, 1625, 1515, 1440, 1270, 1080, 1045, 800, 755, 715 cm<sup>-1</sup>

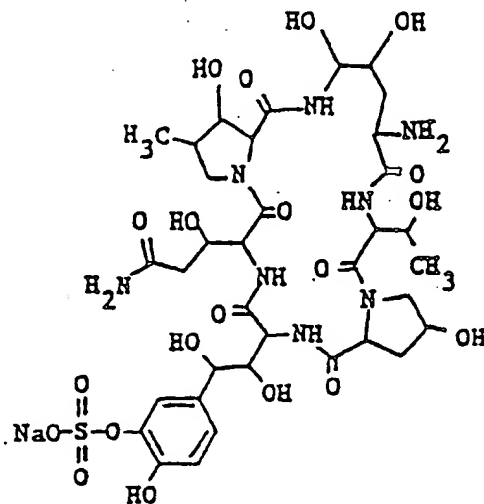
<sup>1</sup>H Nuclear magnetic resonance spectrum :  
(D<sub>2</sub>O, 400MHz)

10  $\delta$  : 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Bz), 7.12 (1H, dd, J=2Hz and 8Hz), 7.06 (1H, d, J=8Hz), 5.40 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.04 (1H, d, J=3.5Hz), 4.94 (1H, d, J=6Bz), 4.73-4.55 (3H, m), 4.51-4.38 (4H, m), 4.31-4.23 (3H, m), 4.11-4.06 (2H, m), 3.94-3.89 (2H, m), 3.41 (1H, m), 2.60-2.34 (5H, m), 2.14 (1H, m), 2.03 (1H, m), 1.28 (3H, d, J=6Hz), 1.01 (3H, d, J=6.5Hz)

15 <sup>13</sup>C Nuclear magnetic resonance spectrum :  
(D<sub>2</sub>O, 100MHz)

20  $\delta$  : 178.3 (s), 175.9 (s), 174.3 (s), 174.2 (s), 174.0 (s), 171.8 (s), 171.3 (s), 150.9 (s), 141.5 (s), 134.4 (s), 128.2 (d), 124.5 (d), 120.3 (d), 78.1 (d), 77.0 (d), 76.9 (d), 76.6 (d), 72.9 (d), 72.8 (d), 71.2 (d), 69.3 (d), 69.2 (d), 63.7 (d), 60.1 (d), 58.3 (t), 58.0 (d), 56.9 (d), 55.3 (d), 54.7 (t), 41.8 (t), 39.7 (d), 39.5 (t), 33.5 (t), 21.4 (q), 13.3 (q)

The chemical structure of FR133303 substance has been identified and assigned as follows.



## 45 Example 2

(1) A solution of 4-hydroxybenzoic acid (19.2 g) in 10% NaOH (120 ml) was dropwise added to 480 ml of dimethyl sulfoxide over 30 minutes during which the temperature in reaction mixture was controlled between 30 and 40°C. After adding, the solution was cooled to 17-20°C. 1-Bromooctane (28.95 g) was dropwise added to the solution over 30 minutes and the reaction mixture was vigorously stirred for 4 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was poured into ice water (1200 ml) and acidified with 40 ml of conc. hydrochloric acid. After vigorously stirring for another 1 hour, the resulting solid was removed by filtration and dissolved in 60 ml of acetonitrile. The solution was refluxed over 30 minutes and was allowed to stand overnight at room temperature to yield 4-octyloxybenzoic acid (13.8 g) as a crystal (MP 96°C, Anal Calcd. for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>3</sub> : C 71.97, H 8.86, Found : C 71.30, H 8.89).

To a solution of 4-octyloxybenzoic acid (13.8 g) in diethyl ether (552 ml) were added 2,4,5-trichlorophenol (10.87 g) and N,N'-dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (11.37 g). The solution was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 18 hours at room temperature. The precipitate was removed by filtration and the filtrate was concentrated in vacuo.

The residue was dissolved in petroleum ether and was allowed to stand on ice-water. The resulting crystals (15.2 g) were filtered and dissolved in warm n-hexane (150 ml). After standing overnight at room temperature, the resulting crystal was removed by filtration. The filtrate was concentrated to an oil which was purified by a column chromatography over silica gel using a mixture of ethyl acetate and n-hexane to give 2,4,5-trichlorophenyl 4-octyloxybenzoate (7.58 g) (MP 53°C, Anal Calcd. for  $C_{21}H_{23}O_3Cl_3$ : Cl 24.75, Found: Cl 24.05).

(2) To a solution of FR133303 substance (2.04 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (60 ml) were added 2,4,5-trichlorophenyl 4-octyloxybenzoate (2.04 g) and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (0.283 g). The solution was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere at room temperature for 15 hours. 4-Dimethylaminopyridine (0.20 g) was added to the solution and mixture was stirred for another 24 hours. The reaction mixture was poured into water (600 ml) and the pH was adjusted to 6.0. The mixture was washed twice with an equal volume of ethyl acetate and concentrated to 30 ml. The concentrate was applied on a column (150 ml) of DEAE-Toyopearl (Cl type, manufactured by Tosoh). The column was washed with 50% aqueous methanol and developed with 50% aqueous methanol containing 1M sodium chloride aqueous solution. The elution of product was assessed by the same HPLC system as described in Example 1(3) except that the concentration of acetonitrile in solvent was 40%. The fractions containing the object compound were pooled and evaporated in vacuo to remove methanol. The solution was absorbed on a column (1 L) of YMC GEL ODS-AM 120-S50 in order to remove salt. The column was washed with water and eluted with 30% aqueous acetonitrile. The eluate was evaporated in vacuo to remove acetonitrile and lyophilized to give the object compound (hereinafter referred to as FR131535 substance) (1.4 g) as a white powder.

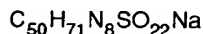
FR131535 substance has following physico-chemical properties :

Appearance :  
white powder

Melting point :  
170-189°C (dec.)

Specific rotation :  
 $[\alpha]_D^{20}$  -14.4° (C: 10, H<sub>2</sub>O)

Molecular formula :



Elemental Analysis :

Calcd. :	for $C_{50}H_{71}N_8SO_{22}Na \cdot 6H_2O$				
	C 46.22,	H 6.44,	N 8.62,	S 2.46,	Na 1.77 (%)
Found :	C 46.80,	H 6.13,	N 8.78,	S 1.96,	Na 1.81 (%)

solubility :

soluble : methanol, water  
slightly soluble : acetone  
insoluble : n-hexane

Color reaction :

positive : iodine vapor reaction, cerium sulfate reaction

Thin layer chromatography (TLC) :

Stationary phase	Developing solvent	Rf value
silica gel*	n-butanol:acetic acid water (6:1:1)	0.21

\* Silica Gel 60 (made by E. Merck)



Infrared absorption spectrum :

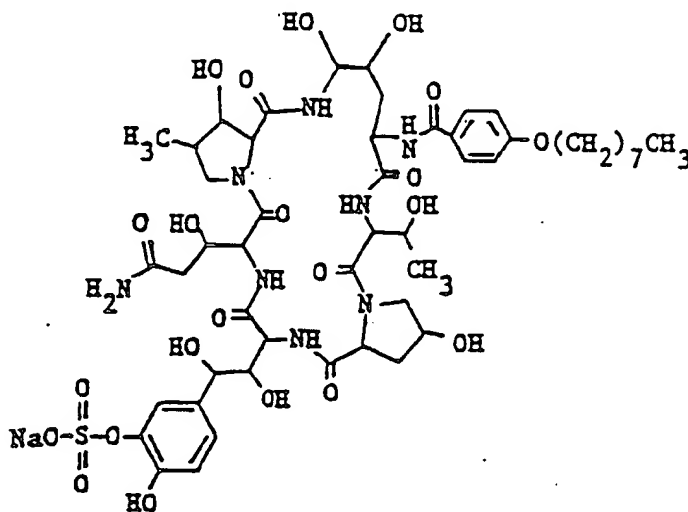
$\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{KBr}}$  : 3330, 2900, 2850, 1620, 1500, 1430, 1270, 1250, 1170, 1110, 1080, 1040, 960, 940, 880, 840, 800, 750, 710  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

$^1\text{H}$  Nuclear magnetic resonance spectrum :

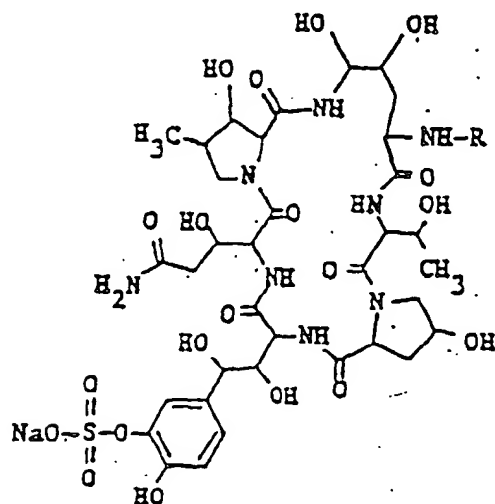
( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ , 200MHz)

$\delta$  : 7.78 (2H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ); 7.31 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, dd,  $J=2\text{Hz}$  and  $8\text{Hz}$ ), 6.96 (2H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 6.87 (1H, d,  $J=8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.33 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 5.08 (1H, d,  $J=4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.99 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.80-3.20 (17H, m), 2.83 (1H, m), 2.65-2.30 (4H, m), 2.22-1.90 (2H, m), 1.79 (2H, m), 1.56-1.25 (10H, m), 1.19 (3H, d,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 0.90 (3H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ )

The chemical structure of FR131535 substance has been identified and assigned as follows.



In the following, the structures of the compounds of Examples 3 to 11 are shown.



Example No.	Compound No.	R
3	FR138260	$\begin{array}{c} \text{(D)} \\ -\text{COCH} - \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 - \text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{NHCOO}^t\text{Bu} \end{array}$
4	FR138727	$\begin{array}{c} \text{(D)} \\ -\text{COCH} - \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 - \text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{NH}_2 \end{array}$
5	FR138364	$\begin{array}{c} \text{(L)} \\ -\text{COCHCH}_2 - \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 - \text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{NHCOO}^t\text{Bu} \end{array}$
6	FR138261	$-\text{COO}^t\text{Bu}$
7	FR138363	$-\text{COCH}_3$

8	FR138728	$-\text{COCH}_2\text{Br}$
9	FR138538	$-\text{COO} - \text{C}_6\text{H}_5$
10	FR138539	$\begin{array}{c} -\text{COC} \\    \\ \text{CH}_3\text{O}-\text{N} \end{array} \text{---} \begin{array}{c} \text{N} \\   \\ \text{C} \\   \\ \text{S} \end{array} \text{---} \text{NH}_2$
11	FR138365	$-\text{O}_2\text{S} - \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 - \text{CH}_3$

Example 3

To a solution of FR133303 substance (1 g) and N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-2-(p-octyloxyphenyl)glycine succinimido ester (0.596 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (3 ml) was added 4-dimethylaminopyridine (0.165g). The mixture was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to water (30 ml) and then adjusted to pH 6. The aqueous solution was washed with ethyl acetate, and subjected to ion exchange chromatography on DEAE-Toyopearl ( $\text{Cl}^-$ ) (60 ml) and eluted with 50% methanol in 1M aqueous solution of sodium chloride. The fractions containing the

object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The aqueous solution was adjusted to pH 4.5 with 1N hydrochloric acid and subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (Trade-mark, Manufactured by Mitsubishi Chemical Industries) (130 ml) and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give object acylated compound (hereinafter referred to as FR138260 substance) (0.77 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1660, 1500, 1240, 1045, 800, 720  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.92 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.05 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.17-1.33 (13H, m), 1.43 (9H, s), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.50 (3H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd,  $J=16\text{Hz}$  and  $4\text{Hz}$ ), 3.35 (1H, m), 3.7-3.8 (1H, m), 3.93 (2H, t,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 3.9-4.2 (5H, m), 4.3-4.5 (5H, m), 4.5-4.7 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 5.05 (1H, d,  $J=4\text{Hz}$ ), 5.11 (1H, s), 5.30 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.86 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.02 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.26 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.31 (1H, s)

FAB-MS :  $e/z = 1343$  (M + Na)

#### Example 4

FR138260 substance obtained in Example 3 (0.25 g) was added to trifluoroacetic acid (1.25 ml) and stirred for 10 minutes. The reaction mixture was added to water (30 ml) and then adjusted to pH 4.5 with saturated aqueous solution of sodium bicarbonate. The aqueous solution was subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (100 ml) and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give the object compound (hereinafter referred to as FR138727 substance) (15 mg).

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.90 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.05 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.17-1.33 (13H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.50 (1H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd,  $J=16\text{Hz}$  and  $4\text{Hz}$ ), 3.40 (1H, m), 3.7-3.8 (1H, m), 3.98 (2H, t,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 3.9-4.2 (5H, m), 4.3-4.5 (5H, m), 4.5-4.7 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 5.06 (1H, s), 5.20 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 5.40 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.95 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.02 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.30 (1H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.44 (1H, s)

FAB-MS :  $e/z = 1259$  (M + K)

#### Example 5

FR138364 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with  $\text{O}^4$ -octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-tyrosine succinimido ester according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1660, 1620, 1240, 1050  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.904 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.17 (3H, d,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.35 (9H, s), 1.74 (2H, quintet,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.45 (3H, m), 2.76 (1H, dd,  $J=16\text{Hz}$  and  $4\text{Hz}$ ), 3.0-3.1 (2H, m), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.77 (1H, d,  $J=11\text{Hz}$ ), 3.92 (2H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 3.9-4.2 (7H, m), 4.3-4.5 (5H, m), 4.5-4.6 (3H, m), 4.94 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 5.05 (1H,  $J=3.8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.31 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.79 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 6.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, dd,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.31 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ )

FAB-MS :  $e/z = 1357$  (M + Na)

#### Example 6

A solution of FR133303 substance (0.5 g) in a mixture of water (5 ml) and tetrahydrofuran (5 ml) was adjusted to pH 7 with saturated aqueous solution of sodium bicarbonate and N,N-di-t-butylcarbonate (0.114 g) was added thereto at room temperature. The mixture was stirred for 5 hours at room temperature maintaining pH 7 with saturated aqueous solution of sodium bicarbonate. The reaction mixture was added to water and adjusted to pH 6. The aqueous solution was washed with ethyl acetate, and subjected to ion exchange chromatography on DEAE-Toyopearl ( $\text{C}^{\text{c}}$ ) (30 ml) and eluted with 50% methanol in 1M aqueous solution of sodium chloride. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The aqueous solution was adjusted to pH 4.5 with 1N hydrochloric acid and subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (100 ml) and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give the object acylated compound (hereinafter referred to as FR138261 substance) (0.145 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1660, 1620, 1240, 1050  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.18 (3H, d, J=6.0Hz), 1.40 (9H, s), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.44 (3H, m), 2.82 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.75 (1H, d, J=11Hz), 3.89-4 (2H, m), 4.10 (1H, m), 4.15 (1H, m), 4.29 (1H, dd, J=6Hz and 2Hz), 4.36-4.45 (5H, m), 4.5-4.6 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.06 (1H, dd, J=8.2Hz and 4Hz), 5.33 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz); 7.30 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz)

FAB-MS : e/z = 1081 (M + Na)

Example 7

FR138363 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with acetyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1250, 1040 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.20 (3H, d, J=6Hz), 1.78-2.05 (3H, m), 1.96 (3H, s), 2.21-2.54 (3H, m), 2.95 (1H, m), 3.35-3.42 (1H, m), 3.58-4.42 (11H, m), 4.50-5.05 (5H, m), 5.23 (1H, m), 6.88 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.05 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.35 (1H, d, J=2Hz)

FAB-MS : 1023 (M + Na)

Example 8

FR138728 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 2-bromoacetyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1660, 1620, 1500, 1220, 1040 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.9Hz), 1.17 (3H, d, J=6.1Hz), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.50 (3H, m), 2.80 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.6-4.0 (5H, m), 4.09 (1H, m), 4.16 (1H, m), 4.29 (1H, dd, J=6Hz and 2Hz), 4.36-4.45 (5H, m), 4.5-4.7 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.04 (1H, dd, J=8.6Hz and 4Hz), 5.25 (1H, d, J=3.1Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2.1Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.52 (1H, d, J=8.6Hz)

FAB-MS : e/z = 1103 (M + Na)

Example 9

FR138538 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with benzoyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1640, 1240 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.18 (3H, d, J=6Hz), 1.89-2.12 (3H, m), 2.31-2.53 (3H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd, J=12Hz and 4Hz), 3.38 (1H, m), 3.76 (1H, d, J=11Hz), 3.87-3.98 (1H, m), 4.02-4.18 (2H, m), 4.22-4.32 (4H, m), 4.37-4.40 (3H, m), 4.49-4.62 (3H, m), 4.98 (1H, m), 5.02 (1H, m), 5.37 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.04 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.11-7.50 (6H, m)

FAB-MS : e/z = 1101 (M + Na)

Example 10

FR138539 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-methoxyiminoacetic acid according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1650, 1620, 1520, 1260, 1040 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ) : 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.21 (3H, d, J=5.9Hz), 1.89-2.21 (3H, m), 2.29-2.61 (3H, m), 2.78-2.89 (1H, m), 3.32-3.42 (1H, m), 3.76-3.82 (1H, m), 3.91-4.01 (2H, m), 3.95 (3H, s), 4.13 (1H, m), 4.16 (1H, m), 4.24-4.27 (1H, m), 4.32-4.43 (5H, m), 4.46-4.62 (3H, m), 4.97-4.99 (1H, m), 5.08 (1H, m), 5.41 (1H, m), 6.79 (1H, s), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.1Hz), 7.04 (1H, dd, J=8.1Hz and 2Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J=7Hz)

FAB-MS : e/z = 1143 (M<sup>+</sup>)

Example 11

FR138365 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with tosyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1650, 1620, 1260, 1060  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.75 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.07 (3H, d,  $J=6.0\text{Hz}$ ), 1.61-1.79 (1H, m), 1.91-2.05 (3H, m), 2.30-2.59 (3H, m), 3.36 (1H, m), 3.68 (1H, d,  $J=11\text{Hz}$ ), 3.81-4.07 (4H, m), 4.22 (1H, m), 4.32-4.40 (5H, m), 4.42-4.60 (3H, m), 4.7 (1H, m), 5.0 (1H, m), 5.42 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, dd,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.29-7.33 (3H, m), 7.75 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ )  
 FAB-MS :  $m/z = 1135$  (M + Na)

Preparation 11

To a solution of 6-hydroxy-2-naphthoic acid (1 g) in the mixture of 10 % sodium hydroxide aqueous solution (4.25 ml) and dimethylsulfoxide (17 ml) was added octyl bromide (0.918 ml). The mixture was stirred for 6 hours at 60 °C.

The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and ethyl acetate and adjusted to pH 3 with conc. hydrochloric acid. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 6-octyloxy-2-naphthoic acid (0.91 g), which is not included in the claims.

IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1620, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{ Hz}$ ), 1.2 - 1.6 (10H, m), 1.78 (2H, m), 4.10 (2H, t,  $J=6.7\text{ Hz}$ ), 7.19 (1H, dd,  $J=2.3$  and  $8.8\text{ Hz}$ ), 7.36 (1H, d,  $J=2.3\text{ Hz}$ ), 7.83 (1H, d,  $J=8.8\text{ Hz}$ ), 7.97 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{ Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s)

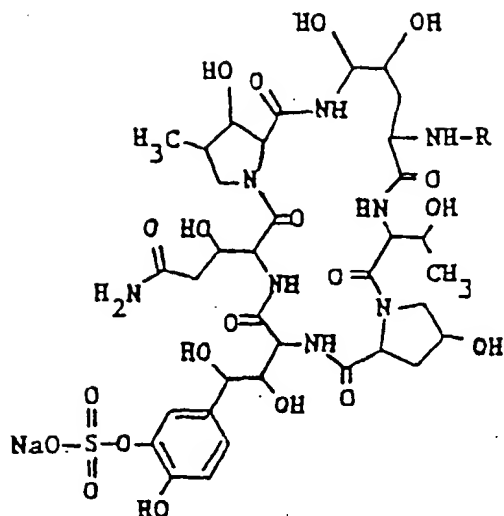
Preparation 12

1-Ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide hydrochloride (0.703 g) was added to a solution of 6-octyloxy-2-naphthoic acid (0.85 g) and 1-hydroxy-1H-benzotriazole (0.382 g) in ethyl acetate (26 ml). The mixture was stirred for two hours at room temperature.

The reaction mixture was added to water and the separated organic layer was washed with water and sodium chloride aqueous solution. Then the organic layer was dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 1-(6-octyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide (0.74 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1740, 1620, 1190, 1020, 740  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.90 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{ Hz}$ ), 1.2 - 1.6 (10H, m), 1.89 (2H, m), 4.14 (2H, t,  $J=6.8\text{ Hz}$ ), 7.1 - 7.3 (2H, m), 7.4 - 7.6 (3H, m), 7.8 - 8.0 (2H, m), 8.1 - 8.2 (2H, m), 8.80 (1H, s)

In the following, the structure of the compound of Example 12 is shown.



Example No.	Compound No.	R
12	FR139687	

**Example 12**

To a solution of FR133303 substance (0.5 g) and 1-(6-octyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide (0.271 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (1.5 ml) was added 4-dimethylaminopyridine (0.0828 g). The mixture was stirred for 12 hours at room temperature.

The reaction mixture was added to water and adjusted to pH 6. The aqueous solution was washed with ethyl acetate, and subjected to ion exchange chromatography on DEAE-Toyopearl (Cl<sup>-</sup>) (30 ml) and eluted with 50 % methanol in 1M sodium chloride solution. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The aqueous solution was adjusted to pH 4.5 with 1N hydrochloric acid and subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (65 ml) and eluted with 80 % aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give object acylated compound (hereinafter referred to as FR139687 substance) (0.214 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1500 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> + D<sub>2</sub>O, δ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.8 Hz), 0.97 (3H, d, J=6.8 Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8 Hz), 1.2 - 1.5 (10H, m), 1.6 - 2.0 (5H, m), 2.2 - 2.5 (3H, m), 2.4 - 2.6 (1H, m), 3.18 (1H, m), 3.6 - 3.9 (1H, m), 4.0 - 4.6 (15H, m), 4.84 (1H, d, J=3 Hz), 4.90 (1H, d, J=3 Hz), 5.11 (1H, d, J=3 Hz), 6.76 (1H, d, J=8.3 Hz), 6.93 (1H, d, J=8.3 Hz), 7.13 (1H, s), 7.25 (1H, d, J=8.3 Hz), 7.39 (1H, s), 7.8 - 8.0 (3H, m), 8.44 (1H, s)

FAB-MS e/z=1264 (M+Na)

The following compounds (Preparations 13 to 16) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

**Preparation 13**

N-(t-Butoxycarbonyl)-L-2-(2-naphthyl)glycine succinimido ester

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1800, 1770, 1730, 1680, 1500, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 14

Succinimido 2-(4-biphenyl)acetate

IR (Nujol) : 1800, 1770, 1720, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 2.82 (4H, s), 4.17 (2H, s), 7.30-7.50 (5H, m), 7.45 (2H, d,  $J=8.1\text{Hz}$ ), 7.67 (2H, d,  $J=8.1\text{Hz}$ )

#### Preparation 15

Succinimido 4-t-butylbenzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1730, 1200, 1070, 990  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.33 (9H, s), 2.89 (4H, s), 7.68 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 8.03 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ )

#### Preparation 16

Succinimido 4-(4-phenylbutoxy)benzoate

IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1600, 1240, 1170, 1070  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.75 (4H, m), 2.65 (2H, m), 4.14 (2H, m), 7.15 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.13-7.35 (5H, m), 8.03 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ )

#### Preparation 17

To neat 3,7-dimethyloctanol (5 ml) was added phosphorus tribromide (1.01 ml). The mixture was stirred for 4 hours at 60°C. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water and n-hexane. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 3,7-dimethyloctyl bromide (4.40 g).

IR (Neat) : 2900, 1450  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (6H, d,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 0.89 (3H, d,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.3 (6H, m), 1.5-1.9 (4H, m), 3.3-3.5 (2H, m)

The following compounds (Preparations 18 to 23) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 11.

#### Preparation 18

4-[4-(Octyloxy)phenoxy]benzoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1680, 1600, 1240, 840  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.6 (10H, m), 1.71 (2H, m), 3.96 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.9-7.1 (6H, m), 7.92 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 12.8 (1H, br s)

#### Preparation 19

6-(Butoxy)-2-naphthoic acid (not included in the claims)

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1610, 1205  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.96 (3H, t,  $J=7.29\text{Hz}$ ), 1.48 (2H, qt,  $J=7.29\text{Hz}$  and 7Hz), 1.78 (2H, tt,  $J=7\text{Hz}$  and 6.45Hz), 4.12 (2H, t,  $J=6.45\text{Hz}$ ), 7.24 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and 2.3Hz), 7.40 (1H, d,  $J=2.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 20

6-Decyloxy-2-naphthoic acid (not included in the claims)

IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1620, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $\text{d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (14H, m), 1.78 (2H, m), 4.11 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.5 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 21

6-Hexyloxy-2-naphthoic acid (not included in the claims)

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1620, 1290, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $\text{d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (6H, m), 1.78 (2H, quint,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 4.11 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 22

6-Dodecyloxy-2-naphthoic acid (not included in the claims)

IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1620, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $\text{d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.60 (18H, m), 1.78 (2H, m), 4.11 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.00 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.51 (1H, s), 12.90 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 23

6-(3,7-Dimethyloctyloxy)-2-naphthoic acid (not included in the claims)

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1610, 1290, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $\text{d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.84 (6H, d,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 0.94 (3H, d,  $J=6.1\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.4 (6H, m), 1.4-1.9 (4H, m), 4.15 (2H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.41 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s)

The following compounds (Preparations 24 to 31) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 12.

#### Preparation 24

1-[4-(4-Octyloxy)phenoxy]benzoyl-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1730, 1600, 1500, 1230, 980  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 25

1-(6-Butoxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1610, 1260, 1180, 1020  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 26

1-(6-Decyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1620, 1190, 1000  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 27

1-(6-Hexyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1610, 1190  $\text{cm}^{-1}$



NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.2-1.6 (6H, m), 1.79 (2H, m), 4.12 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 7.24 (1H, dd, J=9.0Hz and 2.4Hz), 7.39 (1H, d, J=2.4Hz), 7.41 (1H, t, J=8Hz), 7.54 (1H, t, J=8Hz), 7.72 (1H, d, J=8Hz), 7.88 (1H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.90 (1H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.97 (1H, d, J=8Hz), 8.02 (1H, d, J=9.0Hz), 8.51 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 28

1-(6-Dodecyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1620, 1190, 1030, 730  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.2-1.3 (18H, m), 1.78 (2H, m), 4.11 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 7.22 (1H, dd, J=9.0Hz and 2.4Hz), 7.39 (1H, d, J=2.4Hz), 7.40 (1H, t, J=8Hz), 7.55 (1H, t, J=8Hz), 7.73 (1H, d, J=8Hz), 7.85 (1H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.93 (1H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.99 (1H, d, J=8Hz), 8.00 (1H, d, J=9.0Hz), 8.51 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 29

1-[6-(3,7-Dimethyloctyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1620, 1190  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 30

1-[(2E,6E)-3,7,11-Trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrienoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Neat) : 2900, 1780, 1620, 1420, 1070  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 31

3,7-Dimethyl-6-octenyl bromide was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 17.

IR (Neat) : 2900, 1440, 1380  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, d, J=6.3Hz), 1.0-1.5 (2H, m), 1.57 (3H, s), 1.65 (3H, s), 1.7-2.1 (5H, m), 3.4-3.7 (2H, m), 5.08 (1H, m)

#### Preparation 32

To a suspension of sodium hydride (2.04 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (50 ml) was added 4-hydroxypyridine (5 g) at room temperature. Octyl bromide (9.08 ml) was added thereto. The mixture was stirred for 2 hours at 50°C. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of brine (100 ml), tetrahydrofuran (100 ml) and ethyl acetate (100 ml). The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 1-octyl-4-pyridone (14.7 g).

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6Hz), 1.1-1.4 (10H, m), 1.4-1.8 (2H, m), 3.81 (2H, t, J=7Hz), 6.05 (2H, d, J=8Hz), 7.63 (2H, d, J=8Hz)

#### Preparation 33

To a solution of 1-octyl-4-pyridone (10.9 g) in pyridine (100 ml) was added phosphorous pentasulfide (8.65 g) at room temperature. The mixture was stirred for 3 hours at 80°C. The reaction mixture was added to a mixture of water (200 ml) and methylene chloride (200 ml). The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 1-octyl-1,4-dihydro-4-thione (5.27 g).

IR (Neat) : 2910, 2850, 1620, 1460, 1110  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6Hz), 1.1-1.4 (10H, m), 1.5-1.9 (2H, m), 3.95 (2H, t, J=7Hz), 7.13 (2H, d, J=7Hz), 7.60 (2H, d, J=7Hz)

The following compounds (Preparations 34 to 36) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 1.

#### Preparation 34

Methyl 2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetate

IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1740, 1610, 1600, 1220, 1100  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 3.23 (3H, s), 3.60 (3H, s), 4.73 (1H, s), 6.72 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.15 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ )

El-MS ( $m/z$ ) = 196 ( $M^+$ )

#### Preparation 35

D-Tyrosine methyl ester hydrochloride

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1740, 1220  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 3.02 (2H, m), 3.67 (3H, s), 4.16 (1H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 6.72 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.01 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 8.58 (2H, s), 9.47 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 36

Methyl (4-hydroxyphenyl)glyoxylate

IR (Nujol) : 3380, 1730, 1700, 1600, 1580, 1220  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 3.91 (3H, s), 6.94 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.83 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 10.9 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 37

N-(t-Butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine methyl ester was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 2.

IR (Nujol) : 3360, 1700, 1680, 1290, 1270, 1250  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.33 (9H, s), 2.73 (2H, m), 3.59 (3H, s), 4.05 (1H, m), 6.65 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.00 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, d,  $J=7.9\text{Hz}$ ), 9.23 (1H, s)

#### Preparation 38

To a solution of L-tyrosine methyl ester hydrochloride (1 g) in water (1.5 ml) was added sodium bicarbonate (0.363 g) under ice-cooling and stirred for 10 minutes, and then acetonitrile (7 ml), 37% formaldehyde aqueous solution (0.637 ml) and sodium cyanoborohydride (0.182 g) was added thereto at  $-5^\circ\text{C}$ . The mixture was stirred for 2 hours at  $-5^\circ\text{C}$ . The resultant insoluble material was filtered off, and the filtrate was extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosine methyl ester (0.21 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1260, 1010  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 2.24 (6H, s), 2.72 (2H, m), 3.34 (1H, m), 3.53 (3H, s), 6.64 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.97 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 9.18 (1H, s)

The following compounds (Preparations 39 to 44) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 3.

#### Preparation 39

Methyl 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetate

IR (Neat) : 2910, 2850, 1730, 1240  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.9 (2H, m), 3.58 (2H, s), 3.59 (3H, s), 3.92 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.85 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.15 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 40

Ethyl 3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionate

- 5 IR (Neat) : 2920, 2850, 1730, 1240  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.15 (3H, t,  $J=7.1\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.55 (2H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 2.77 (2H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 3.90 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.03 (2H, q,  $J=7.1\text{Hz}$ ), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.11 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )

10 Preparation 41

Methyl 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetate

- IR (Neat) : 2910, 2850, 1740, 1600, 1240, 1100  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 15 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 3.26 (3H, s), 3.62 (3H, s), 3.94 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.83 (1H, s), 6.91 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.27 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ )  
 EI-MS ( $m/z$ ) = 308 ( $\text{M}^+$ )

20 Preparation 42 $\text{O}^4$ -Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine methyl ester

- IR (Nujol) : 3350, 1730, 1680, 1510, 1240, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 25 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.3 (10H, m), 1.68 (2H, m), 2.82 (2H, m), 3.60 (3H, s), 3.91 (2H, t,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.08 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.25 (1H, d,  $J=8.0\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 43 $\text{O}^4$ -Octyl-N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosine methyl ester

- 30 IR (Neat) : 2930, 2860, 1730, 1250  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.68 (2H, m), 2.80 (2H, m), 3.33 (6H, s), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.53 (3H, s), 3.89 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.79 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.08 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ )

35 Preparation 44

Methyl (4-octyloxyphenyl)glyoxylate

- IR (Neat) : 2930, 2850, 1730, 1670, 1600, 1260, 1210, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 40 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.9 (2H, m), 3.93 (3H, s), 4.10 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.12 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.92 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ )

The following compounds (Preparations 45 to 51) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 4.

45 Preparation 45

4-(2-Butoxyethoxy)benzoic acid

- 50 IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1610, 1260  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (4H, m), 3.45 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 3.70 (2H, t,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ), 4.16 (2H, t,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.02 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.88 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 12.63 (1H, s)

55 Preparation 46

2-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)acetic acid

- IR (Nujol) : 1680, 1240, 820, 780  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.1-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 3.47 (2H, s), 3.92 (2H, t, J=6.4Hz), 6.84 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.14 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz)

#### Preparation 47

3-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)propionic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1680, 1500, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.3Hz), 1.1-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.47 (2H, t, J=7.2Hz), 2.74 (2H, t, J=7.2Hz), 3.90 (2H, t, J=6.4Hz), 6.81 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.11 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 12.10 (1H, br s)

#### Preparation 48

2-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1720, 1600, 1500, 1240, 1180, 1100, 830  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 2.6-2.8 (2H, m), 3.26 (3H, s), 3.94 (2H, t, J=6.4Hz), 4.67 (1H, s), 6.90 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.27 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz)

#### Preparation 49

O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine

IR (Nujol) : 3400-2900, 1700, 1500, 1240, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.859 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.32 (9H, s), 1.68 (2H, m), 2.67-2.95 (1H, m), 3.90 (2H, t, J=7Hz), 4.01 (1H, m), 6.81 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.02 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.13 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz)

#### Preparation 50

O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosine

IR (Neat) : 2940, 2860, 2600, 1620, 1240  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.6Hz), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.68 (2H, m), 2.67 (6H, s), 2.8-3.6 (3H, m), 3.91 (2H, t, J=6.4Hz), 6.85 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.16 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz)

#### Preparation 51

O<sup>4</sup>-Octyloxyphenylglyoxylic acid

IR (Neat) : 1730, 1670, 1600, 1260, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.65-1.85 (2H, m), 4.09 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 7.12 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz), 7.89 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz)

#### Preparation 52

N<sup>t</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-histidine was obtained from N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-histidine methyl ester according to similar manners to those of Preparations 3 and 4.

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t, J=6.3Hz), 1.23 (10H, m), 1.35 (9H, s), 2.83 (2H, m), 3.90 (2H, t, J=7Hz), 4.0-4.2 (1H, m), 6.36 (1H, s), 7.02 (1H, d, J=8Hz), 7.75 (1H, s)

The following compounds (Preparations 53 to 60) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 11.

#### Preparation 53

4-Octyloxyphthalic acid

IR (Neat) : 2930, 2860, 2500, 1700, 1600, 1260  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.5-1.8 (2H, m), 4.05 (2H, t,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, d,  $J=2.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.06 (1H, dd,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$  and  $2.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.72 (1H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ )

5 Preparation 54

3-Methoxy-4-octyloxybenzoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 2600, 1680, 1600, 1270, 1230  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 10 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 3.80 (3H, s), 4.01 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.44 (1H, d,  $J=1.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.54 (1H, dd,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$  and  $1.9\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 55

15 4-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)benzoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1670, 1600, 830, 770  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 4.01 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.04 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.68 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.75 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.99 (2H, d,  $J=8.5\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 56 ( not included in the claims)

6-(2-Ethylhexyloxy)-2-naphthoic acid

25 IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1610, 1280, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.88 (3H, t,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 0.92 (3H, t,  $J=7.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (8H, m), 1.7-1.9 (1H, m), 4.01 (2H, d,  $J=5.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.42 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.51 (1H, s), 12.9 (1H, s)

30 Preparation 57 (not included in the claims)

6-(3,7-Dimethyl-6-octenyloxy)naphthoic acid

35 IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1610, 1290, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.95 (3H, d,  $J=6.1\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.5 (2H, m), 1.57 (3H, s), 1.64 (3H, s), 1.6-2.1 (5H, m), 4.15 (2H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 5.10 (1H, t,  $J=7.1\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.42 (1H, d,  $J=2.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s), 12.89 (1H, s)

Preparation 58 (not included in the claims)

40 6-(3,7-Dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy)naphthoic acid

45 IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1620, 1210  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.57 (3H, s), 1.60 (3H, s), 1.76 (3H, s), 2.07 (4H, m), 4.70 (2H, d,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 5.07 (1H, m), 5.51 (1H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.24 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.41 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.94 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 8.01 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.52 (1H, s), 12.88 (1H, s)

Preparation 59

50 (2E)-3-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)acrylic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1660, 1600, 1240  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 4.00 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 6.36 (1H, d,  $J=16\text{Hz}$ ), 6.95 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.54 (1H, d,  $J=16\text{Hz}$ ), 7.61 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 12.20 (1H, br s)

Preparation 60 (not included in the claims)

Sodium 6-octyloxy-2-naphthalene sulfonate

IR (Nujol) : 1230, 1180, 860, 820  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.6 (10H, m), 4.06 (2H, t,  $J=5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.08 (1H, d,  $J=9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.21 (1H, s), 7.79 (1H, d,  $J=9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.00 (1H, s)

5 Preparation 61 (not included in the claims)

To a solution of thionyl chloride (0.692 ml) and N,N-dimethylformamide (0.022 ml) was added sodium 6-octyloxy-2-naphthalenesulfonate (1 g) under ice-cooling and stirred for 1.5 hours at 95°C. The reaction mixture was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 6-octyloxy-2-naphthylsulfonfyl chloride (1 g).

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IR (Nujol) : 1610, 1260, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.90 (3H, t,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.7 (10H, m), 1.8-2.0 (2H, m), 4.12 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.20 (1H, d,  $J=2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.32 (1H, dd,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$  and  $2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.84-7.97 (3H, m), 8.49 (1H, s)

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The following compounds (Preparations 62 to 71) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 12.

Preparation 62

20 1-(4-octylbenzoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide IR (Neat) : 2930, 2850, 1780, 1610, 1240, 990  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Preparation 63

1-[4-(4-octyloxyphenyl)benzoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

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IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1600, 980  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Preparation 64

30 1-[6-(2-Ethylhexyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1620, 1270, 1180  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.93 (3H, t,  $J=7.1\text{Hz}$ ), 0.98 (3H, t,  $J=7.4\text{Hz}$ ), 1.3-1.7 (8H, m), 1.7-2.0 (1H, m), 4.03 (2H, d,  $J=5.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, d,  $J=2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.29 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ,  $2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.4-7.7 (3H, m), 7.87 (1H, d,  $J=9.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.92 (1H, d,  $J=9.5\text{Hz}$ ), 8.1-8.2 (2H, m), 8.80 (1H, s)

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Preparation 65

1-[6-(3,7-Dimethyl-6-octenyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

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IR (Neat) : 2900, 1770, 1620, 1180  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Preparation 66

45 1-[6-[(E)-3,7-Dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy]-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1620, 1270, 1180  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Preparation 67

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1-(2-Anthrylcarbonyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1200, 720, 740  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

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Preparation 68

1-[2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1460, 1420, 1250, 1130  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 69

1-[3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1420, 1340, 1240, 950  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 70

1-[(E)-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acryloyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Nujol) : 1770, 1600, 1260, 1080  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 71

1-(O<sup>4</sup>-octyl-N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide

IR (Neat) : 2930, 2850, 1800, 1610  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 72

To a suspension of lithium aluminum hydride (4.05 g) in tetrahydrofuran (475 ml) was added dropwise a solution of 4-octyloxybenzaldehyde (25 g) in tetrahydrofuran (25 ml) at 55 ~ 60°C. The reaction mixture was stirred under reflux for 1 hour, and thereto was added sodium fluoride (35.84 g) and water (11.52 ml) under ice-cooling. The mixture was stirred for 30 minutes, and filtrated. The filtrate was evaporated in vacuo to give 4-octyloxybenzyl alcohol (25.1 g) as crystals.

IR (Nujol) : 3200, 1605, 1510  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.26-1.38 (10H, m), 1.62-1.72 (2H, m), 3.92 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 4.40 (2H, d, J=5.7Hz), 5.03 (1H, t, J=5.7Hz), 6.85 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.20 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz)

#### Preparation 73

To a suspension of 4-octyloxybenzyl alcohol (25 g), N-hydroxyphthalimide (17.15 g) and triphenylphosphine (27.74 g) in tetrahydrofuran (250 ml) was added dropwise diethyl azodicarboxylate (18.4 g) under ice-cooling. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours, and evaporated in vacuo. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel to give N-(4-octyloxybenzyloxy)phthalimide (33.45 g) as crystals.

IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1725, 1605, 1580, 1505  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, m), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.70 (2H, m), 3.95 (2H, t, J=6.5Hz), 5.08 (2H, s), 6.93 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.40 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.85 (4H, s)

#### Preparation 74

To a solution of N-(4-octyloxybenzyloxy)phthalimide (4.13 g) in tetrahydrofuran (16 ml) was added hydrazine-hydrate (0.53 ml) at room temperature. After the mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 1 hour, the precipitate was filtered off. To the filtrate was added water (6 ml) and 4-hydroxyphenylglyoxylic acid (1.5 g) at room temperature. The mixture was maintained at pH 4~4.5 with aqueous sodium bicarbonate solution for 2 hours, thereto was added ethyl acetate, and adjusted to pH 2 with 1N hydrochloric acid. The separated organic layer was washed with brine, and dried over magnesium sulfate. The organic solvent was evaporated in vacuo to give 2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetic acid (3.4 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3400, 1715, 1605, 1590, 1505  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR (DMSO- $d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, m), 1.25 (10H, m), 1.69 (2H, m), 3.94 (2H, t, J=6.4Hz), 5.07 (2H, s), 6.82 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 6.90 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.29 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.35 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz)

The following compounds (Preparations 75 and 76) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Prep-

Preparation 74.Preparation 75

## 2-Phenyl-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1720, 1610, 1585, 1515  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.69 (2H, m), 3.94 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 5.13 (2H, s), 6.91 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22-7.49 (7H, m)Preparation 76

## 2-(4-Octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetic acid

IR (Nujol) : 1700, 1670, 1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.70 (2H, m), 3.95 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 5.13 (2H, s), 6.91 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.29 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.56 (1H, s)Preparation 77

A solution of 4-octyloxyphenylglyoxylic acid (0.935 g) in a mixture of water (9 ml) and tetrahydrofuran (18 ml) and adjusted to pH 3.5-4 with 1N hydrochloric acid and methoxyamine hydrochloride (0.337 g) was added thereto at room temperature. The mixture was stirred for 2 hours at room temperature maintaining pH 3.5~4 with 1N hydrochloric acid. The reaction mixture was added to ethyl acetate. The organic layer was separated and dried over magnesium sulfate. The magnesium sulfate was filtered off, and the filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure to give 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyiminoacetic acid (0.57 g).

IR (Nujol) : 1700, 1600, 1250, 1030  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 3.89 (3H, s), 3.99 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.00 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.45 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 14.05 (1H, s)Preparation 78 (not included in the claims)

To a mixture of 2,3,4,5,6-pentafluorobenzoic acid (1 g) and 2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentanol (1.18 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide (5 ml) was added 62% sodium hydride (0.39 g) at room temperature. The mixture was stirred at the same temperature for 1 hour, and thereto was added a mixture of water and ethyl acetate. The separated organic layer was washed with water and brine, dried over magnesium sulfate, and evaporated in vacuo. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel to give 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoic acid (923.0 mg).

IR (Nujol) : 1700, 1580  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 4.96 (2H, t,  $J=14.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.10 (1H, tt,  $J=5.6\text{Hz}$  and  $50.2\text{Hz}$ )Preparation 79 (not included in the claims)

## 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,8-Pentadecafluorooctyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoic acid

IR (Nujol) : 3400, 1640, 1560  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 4.95 (2H, t,  $J=14.0\text{Hz}$ )

The following compounds (Preparations 80 to 90) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

Preparation 80

## Succinimido 2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate

IR (Nujol) : 1800, 1770, 1700, 1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$



Preparation 81

Succinimido 2-phenyl-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate

- 5 IR (Nujol) : 1780, 1730, 1605  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, m), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.69 (2H, m), 2.90 (4H, m), 3.94 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 5.30 (2H, s),  
 6.91 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.25-7.56 (7H, m)

Preparation 82

Succinimido 2-(4-Octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate

- 10 IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1725, 1600, 1580  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.26 (10H, m), 1.70 (2H, m), 2.85 (4H, s), 3.96 (2H, m), 5.28 (2H, s),  
 15 6.91 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.33 (2H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 8.12 (1H, s)

Preparation 83 (not included in the claims)

Succinimido 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoate

- 20 IR (Nujol) : 3500, 1770, 1740, 1640  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 2.90 (4H, s), 5.23 (2H, t,  $J=13.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.11 (1H, tt,  $J=50.2\text{Hz}$  and  $5.6\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 84 (not included in the claims)

Succinimido 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,8-pentadecafluorooctyloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoate

- 25 IR (Nujol) : 1735, 1620, 1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 2.90 (4H, s), 5.12 (2H, t,  $J=13.8\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 85

Succinimido 3-methoxy-4-octyloxybenzoate

- 30 IR (Nujol) : 1760, 1730, 1600, 1280, 1200, 880  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.9 (2H, m), 2.88 (4H, s), 3.84 (3H, s), 4.09 (2H,  
 35 t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.19 (1H, d,  $J=8.6\text{Hz}$ ), 7.49 (1H, d,  $J=2.0\text{Hz}$ ), 7.73 (1H, dd,  $J=8.6$  and  $2.0\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 86

Succinimido 4-(2-butoxyethoxy)benzoate

- 40 IR (Nujol) : 1730, 1600, 1250, 1060  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t,  $J=7.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (4H, m), 2.89 (4H, s), 3.46 (2H, t,  $J=6.3\text{Hz}$ ), 3.73 (2H, t,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ),  
 45 4.25 (2H, t,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.18 (2H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 8.04 (2H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 87

Succinimido 2-(4-Octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetate

- 50 IR (Nujol) : 1810, 1740, 1610, 1250, 1210, 1100  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.80 (4H, s), 3.35 (3H, s), 3.97 (2H,  
 55 t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 5.35 (1H, s), 6.96 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.38 (2H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ )

Preparation 88O<sup>4</sup>-Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine succinimido ester

IR (Nujol) : 3370, 1780, 1730, 1700, 1250, 1200  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 89

5 Succinimido 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyiminoacetate

IR (Nujol) : 1800, 1780, 1730, 1600, 1250, 1180, 1130  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.89 (4H, s), 4.01 (3H, s), 4.03 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.08 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.68 (2H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ )

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#### Preparation 90

$\text{N}^{\epsilon}$ -Octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-histidine succinimido ester

15 IR (Neat) : 1810, 1780, 1730, 1500, 1360, 1200, 1160  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

#### Preparation 91

4-Octyloxyphthalic anhydride was obtained from 4-octyloxyphthalic acid according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

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IR (Neat) : 2910, 2850, 1840, 1760, 1640, 1610, 1290, 1260  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-1.9 (2H, m), 4.19 (2H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 7.47 (1H, dd,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$  and  $2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.57 (1H, d,  $J=2.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.98 (1H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ )

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#### Preparation 92

N-Octyloxycarbonyloxysuccinimide was obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

30 IR (Neat) : 2960, 2850, 1780, 1740, 1260, 1230  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.4 (10H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 2.84 (4H, s), 4.32 (2H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ )

#### Preparation 93

35 To a solution of octyl phenyl ether (1.53 g) in chloroform (6 ml) was added chlorosulfonic acid at  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 minutes, then the mixture was poured into a mixture of water and tetrahydrofuran.

The separated organic layer was washed with sodium chloride aqueous solution, dried over magnesium sulfate and then the solvent was evaporated in vacuo. The residue was subjected to a column chromatography on silica gel to give 4-octyloxyphenylsulfonyl chloride (1.25 g).

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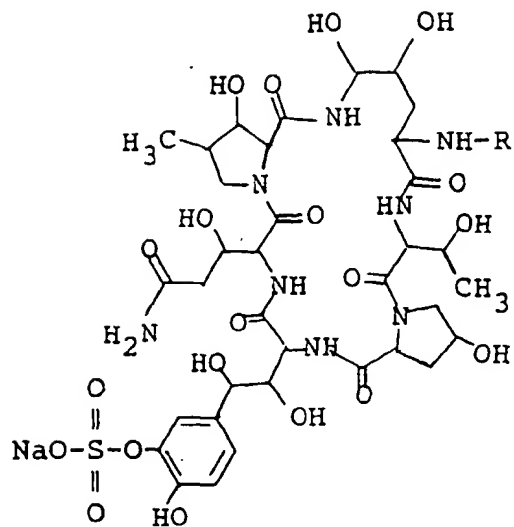
IR (Nujol) : 1600, 1580, 1500, 1380, 1180  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 1.20-1.50 (10H, m), 1.80 (2H, m), 4.06 (2H, t,  $J=6.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (2H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ ), 7.96 (2H, d,  $J=9.0\text{Hz}$ )

45 In the following, the structures of the compounds of Examples 13 to 53 are shown.

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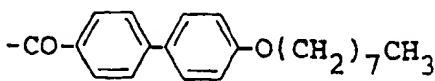
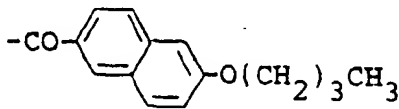
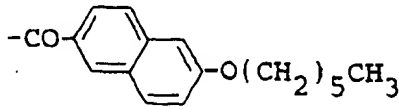
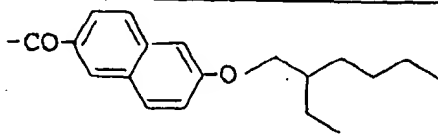
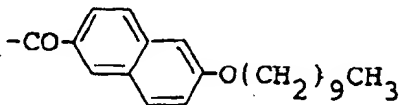
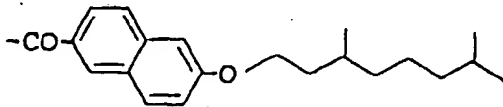
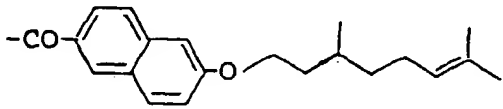
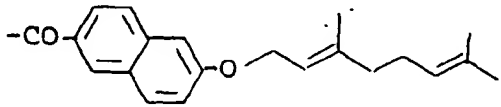
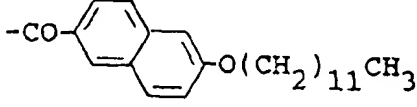
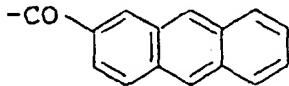


In the following formulae, <sup>t</sup>Bu means t-butyl, and p-TsOH means p-toluenesulfonic acid.

Example No.	Compound No.	R
13	FR139835	$-\text{COO}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
14	FR139537	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{}^t\text{Bu}$
15	FR141145	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{CH}_3$
16	FR139538	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_4-\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$

Example No.	Compound No.	R
17	FR140215	$\begin{array}{c} \text{---CO---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_3 \text{---O(CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{COOH} \end{array}$
18	FR140216	$\begin{array}{c} \text{---CO---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_3 \text{---O(CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{OCH}_3 \end{array}$
19	FR140727	$\begin{array}{c} \text{F} \quad \text{F} \\   \quad   \\ \text{---CO---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_2 \text{---OCH}_2(\text{CF}_2)_4\text{H} \\   \quad   \\ \text{F} \quad \text{F} \end{array}$
20	FR143301	$\begin{array}{c} \text{F} \quad \text{F} \\   \quad   \\ \text{---CO---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_2 \text{---OCH}_2(\text{CF}_2)_6\text{CF}_3 \\   \quad   \\ \text{F} \quad \text{F} \end{array}$
21	FR140495	$\text{---COCH}_2\text{---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{---C}_6\text{H}_5$
22	FR139503	$\begin{array}{c} \text{OCH}_3 \\   \\ \text{---COCH---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 \text{---O(CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \end{array}$
23	FR139500	$\begin{array}{c} \text{NHCOO}^t\text{Bu} \\   \\ \text{---COCHCH}_2\text{---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4 \text{---O(CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\ \text{(D)} \end{array}$
24	FR139501	$\begin{array}{c} \text{NHCOO}^t\text{Bu} \\   \\ \text{---CO---} \text{CH---} \text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{---C}_6\text{H}_5 \\ \text{(L)} \end{array}$

Example No.	Compound No.	R
25	FR139502	$\begin{array}{c} \text{NHCOO}^t\text{Bu} \\   \\ -\text{COCHCH}_2 \begin{array}{c} \diagup \text{N}-(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\ \diagdown \text{N} \end{array} \\ \text{(L)} \end{array}$
26	FR138959	$\begin{array}{c} \text{OCH}_3 \\   \\ \text{N} \\    \\ -\text{CO}-\text{C}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \end{array}$
27	FR140291	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O}-\text{CH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{N} \\    \\ -\text{CO}-\text{C}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{OH} \end{array}$
28	FR141580	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O}-\text{CH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{N} \\    \\ -\text{CO}-\text{C}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_5 \end{array}$
29	FR141579	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O}-\text{CH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\   \\ \text{N} \\    \\ -\text{CO}-\text{CH} \end{array}$
30	FR141146	$\text{CH}_3-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{CH}=\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}=\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}=\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)-\text{CH}_3$
31	FR140731	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
32	FR140217	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$

Example No.	Compound No.	R
33	FR142472	
34	FR140496	
35	FR140497	
36	FR143483	
37	FR140728	
38	FR142172	
39	FR143326	
40	FR142390	
41	FR140729	
42	FR140730	

Example No.	Compound No.	R
43	FR143020	$-\text{COCH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
44	FR143021	$-\text{CO}(\text{CH}_2)_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
45	FR141315	$-\text{CO}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
46	FR140105	$-\text{CO}-\text{CH}(\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2)\text{CH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
47	FR141564	$-\text{SO}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
48	FR143170	$-\text{SO}_2-\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_7-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$
49	FR138912	$-\text{CO}-\text{CH}(\text{NH}_2)\text{CH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$ (L)      p-TsOH
50	FR138960	$-\text{COCH}_2\text{S}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{N}^+(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \text{ Br}^-$
51	FR138727	$-\text{COCH}(\text{NH}_2)-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$ (D)

Example No.	Compound No.	R
52	FR138912	$\begin{array}{c} \text{NH}_2 \\   \\ -\text{CO}-\text{CHCH}_2-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \\ \text{(L)} \end{array}$ <p style="text-align: center;">p-TsOH</p>
53	FR138960	$-\text{COCH}_2\text{S}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{N}^+(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3 \text{ Br}^-$

Example 13

FR139835 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with N-octyloxycarbonyloxysuccinimide according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol): 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1137 (M + Na)

Example 14

FR139537 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-t-butylbenzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol): 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ): 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.9Hz), 1.15 (3H, d, J=5.9Hz), 1.33 (9H, s), 2.0-2.3 (3H, m), 2.4-2.6 (3H, m), 2.7-2.9 (1H, m), 3.4-3.6 (1H, m), 3.8-4.9 (12H, m), 5.07 (2H, m), 5.40 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 7.06 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 7.08 (1H, dd, J=8.2Hz and 2Hz), 7.27 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.60 (1H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.75 (1H, d, J=8.6Hz)

Example 15

FR141145 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-(2-butoxyethoxy)benzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol): 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , +  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ): 0.88 (3H, t, J=7.3Hz), 0.96 (3H, d, J=6.7Hz), 1.04 (3H, d, J=5.7Hz), 1.2-1.6 (4H, m), 1.7-2.0 (3H, m), 2.1-2.65 (4H, m), 3.16 (1H, m), 3.7-4.5 (20H, m), 4.78 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.86 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.02 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.74 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.79 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 7.00 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz), 7.06 (1H, s), 7.87 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz)

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1201 (M + Na)

Example 16

FR139538 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-(4-phenylbutoxy)benzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol): 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1233 (M + Na)



Example 17

FR140215 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 4-octyloxyphthalic anhydride according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1257 (M + Na)

Example 18

FR140216 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 3-methoxy-4-octyloxybenzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1243 (M + Na)

Example 19

FR140727 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5-octafluoropentylloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1630  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  : 1387 (M + Na)

Example 20

FR143301 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 4-(2,2,3,3,4,4,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,8-pentadecafluorooctylloxy)-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzoate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1630  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1534 (M<sup>+</sup>)

Example 21

FR140495 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-biphenyl)acetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.0-1.1 (6H, m), 1.9-2.2 (3H, m), 2.3-2.6 (3H, m), 2.7-2.85 (1H, m), 3.35 (1H, m), 3.58 (2H, s), 3.65-4.7 (13H, m), 4.93 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.04 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.25 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.01 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.3-7.6 (10H, m)

Example 22

FR139503 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyacetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3330, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1257 (M + Na)

Example 23

FR139500 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with O<sup>4</sup>-octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-D-tyrosine succinimido ester according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.90 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.17 (3H, d, J=6.7Hz), 1.20-1.30 (10H, m), 1.35 (9H, s), 1.74 (2H, m), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.45 (3H, m), 2.76 (1H, m), 3.0-3.1 (1H, m), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.7-4.6 (18H, m), 4.94 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.01 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.25 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.79 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 6.83 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.12 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz)

Example 24

FR139501 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-2-(2-naphthyl) glycine succinimido ester according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

Example 25

FR139502 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with N<sup>ε</sup>-octyl-N-(t-butoxycarbonyl)-L-histidine succinimido ester according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1330 (M + Na)

Example 26

FR138959 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)-2-methoxyiminoacetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.91 (3H, t, J=6.6Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.25 (3H, d, J=6.3Hz), 1.25-1.6 (10H, m), 1.65-1.9 (2H, m), 1.9-2.2 (3H, m), 2.3-2.65 (3H, m), 1.75-1.9 (1H, m), 3.3-3.5 (1H, m), 3.95 (3H, s), 3.7-4.75 (16H, m), 5.03 (1H, d, J=3.0Hz), 5.11 (1H, d, J=3.7Hz), 5.46 (1H, d, J=2.7Hz), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.89 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz), 7.01 (1H, dd, J=8.2Hz and 2Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.54 (2H, d, J=8.9Hz)

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1270 (M + Na)

Example 27

FR140291 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3250, 1650, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1363 (M + Na)

Example 28

FR141580 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-phenyl-2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1646  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1346 (M + Na)

Example 29

FR141579 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with succinimido 2-(4-octyloxybenzyloxyimino)acetate according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

IR (Nujol) : 3250, 1650  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1270 (M + Na)

Example 30

FR141146 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[(2E,6E)-3,7,11-trimethyl-2,6,10-dodecatrienoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1040  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.19 (3H, d, J=5.9Hz), 1.60 (3H, s), 1.62 (3H, s), 1.66 (3H, s), 1.9-2.2 (11H, m), 2.05 (3H, s), 2.3-2.6 (3H, m), 2.7-2.9 (1H, m), 3.35 (1H, m), 3.7-5.0 (14H, m), 5.08 (4H, m), 5.27 (1H, d, J=2.8Hz), 5.77 (1H, s), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.04 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 1.9Hz), 7.32 (1H, d, J=1.9Hz)

Example 31

FR140731 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(4-octylbenzoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1040  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.21 (3H, d,  $J=5.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.25-1.45 (10H, m), 1.55-1.75 (2H, m), 1.9-2.25 (3H, m), 2.35-2.6 (3H, m), 2.65 (2H, t,  $J=7.5\text{Hz}$ ), 2.81 (1H, m), 3.32 (1H, m), 3.7-4.8 (14H, m), 4.98 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 5.09 (1H, d,  $J=3.9\text{Hz}$ ), 5.31 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.86 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.03 (1H, dd,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.24 (2H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.33 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.74 (2H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ )  
 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1197 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

Example 32

FR140217 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[4-(4-octyloxy)phenoxy]benzoyl-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1305 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

Example 33

FR142472 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[4-(4-octyloxyphenyl)benzoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.88 (3H, t,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.23 (3H, d,  $J=6.1\text{Hz}$ ), 1.3-1.6 (10H, m), 1.8-1.9 (2H, m), 1.9-2.3 (3H, m), 2.3-2.7 (3H, m), 2.9-3.0 (1H, m), 3.39 (1H, m), 3.7-4.7 (16H, m), 4.99 (1H, d,  $J=3.0\text{Hz}$ ), 5.10 (1H, d,  $J=3.7\text{Hz}$ ), 5.35 (1H, d,  $J=2.7\text{Hz}$ ), 6.87 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.99 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.04 (1H, dd,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$  and  $1.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.33 (1H, d,  $J=1.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.58 (2H, d,  $J=8.8\text{Hz}$ ), 7.62 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.87 (2H, d,  $J=8.4\text{Hz}$ )  
 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1289 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

Example 34

FR140496 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(6-butoxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1207 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

Example 35

FR140497 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(6-hexyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6 + \text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.89 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.9\text{Hz}$ ), 1.08 (3H, d,  $J=5.9\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (6H, m), 1.7-2.1 (5H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.73 (2H, m), 3.8-4.5 (12H, m), 4.80 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.88 (1H, d,  $J=3.8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.08 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ ), 6.80 (1H, dd,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.08 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.26 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.39 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.89 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.44 (1H, s)  
 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1236 ( $M + \text{Na}$ )

Example 36

FR143483 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[6-(2-ethylhexyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3250, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.93 (3H, t,  $J=7.4\text{Hz}$ ), 0.98 (3H, t,  $J=7.4\text{Hz}$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.24 (3H, d,  $J=6.0\text{Hz}$ ), 1.3-1.7 (8H, m), 1.7-1.9 (1H, m), 1.9-2.3 (3H, m), 2.3-2.7 (3H, m), 2.8-3.0 (1H, m), 3.39 (1H, m), 3.7-4.7 (16H, m), 5.00 (1H, d,  $J=4.4\text{Hz}$ ), 5.11 (1H, d,  $J=3.7\text{Hz}$ ), 5.37 (1H, d,  $J=2.6\text{Hz}$ ), 6.87 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.04 (1H, dd,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.17 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $1.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.22 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.33 (1H, d,  $J=1.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.7-7.9 (3H, m), 8.29 (1H, s)  
 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1263 (M + Na)

Example 37

FR140728 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(6-decyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6 + \text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.07 (3H, d,  $J=5.9\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (14H, m), 1.7-2.1 (5H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.45 (1H, m), 3.73 (2H, m), 3.9-4.5 (12H, m), 4.79 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.87 (1H, d,  $J=3.8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.07 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ ), 6.79 (1H, dd,  $J=8.1\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.06 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.38 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.89 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.45 (1H, s)  
 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1291 (M + Na)

Example 38

FR142172 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[6-(3,7-dimethyloctyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1610  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6 + \text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (6H, d,  $J=6.6\text{Hz}$ ), 0.95 (3H, d,  $J=5.9\text{Hz}$ ), 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.08 (3H, d,  $J=5.9\text{Hz}$ ), 1.1-1.4 (6H, m), 1.4-2.1 (7H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.74 (2H, m), 3.9-4.6 (12H, m), 4.81 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.87 (1H, d,  $J=3.8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.07 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.2\text{Hz}$ ), 6.83 (1H, dd,  $J=8.1\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.06 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.23 (1H, dd,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$  and  $2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.40 (1H, d,  $J=2.4\text{Hz}$ ), 7.85 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.89 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.93 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 8.45 (1H, s)  
 FAB-MS  $m/z$  = 1291 (M + Na)

Example 39

FR143326 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[6-(3,7-dimethyl-6-octenyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620, 1260, 1040  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 1.00 (3H, d,  $J=6.2\text{Hz}$ ), 1.06 (3H, d,  $J=6.8\text{Hz}$ ), 1.25 (3H, d,  $J=5.9\text{Hz}$ ), 1.2-1.6 (2H, m), 1.61 (3H, s), 1.67 (3H, s), 1.63-2.3 (8H, m), 2.3-2.7 (3H, m), 2.8-3.0 (1H, m), 3.39 (1H, m), 3.7-4.8 (16H, m), 5.00 (1H, d,  $J=5.1\text{Hz}$ ), 5.08-5.2 (2H, m), 5.37 (1H, d,  $J=2.5\text{Hz}$ ), 6.87 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.04 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 7.15 (1H, d,  $J=8.9\text{Hz}$ ), 7.21 (1H, s), 7.33 (1H, s), 7.71 (1H, d,  $J=8.7\text{Hz}$ ), 7.77-7.85 (2H, m), 8.28 (1H, s)

Example 40

FR142390 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[6-((E)-3,7-dimethyl-2,6-octadienyloxy)-2-naphthoyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
 NMR ( $\text{DMSO}-d_6 + \text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.97 (3H, d,  $J=6.7\text{Hz}$ ), 1.07 (3H, d,  $J=6.0\text{Hz}$ ), 1.57 (3H, s), 1.61 (3H, s), 1.76 (3H, s), 1.8-2.5 (9H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.45 (1H, m), 3.73 (2H, m), 3.9-4.6 (11H, m), 4.70 (2H, d,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 4.80 (1H, d,  $J=3\text{Hz}$ ), 4.87 (1H, d,  $J=3.8\text{Hz}$ ), 5.07 (2H, m), 5.51 (1H, t,  $J=6.5\text{Hz}$ ), 6.74 (1H, d,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$ ), 6.83 (1H, dd,  $J=8.3\text{Hz}$  and  $2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.07 (1H, d,  $J=2\text{Hz}$ ), 7.24 (1H, dd,

J=8.9Hz and 2.4Hz), 7.40 (1H, d, J=2.4Hz), 7.8-8.0 (3H, m), 8.45 (1H, s)  
 FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1287 (M + Na)

Example 41

FR140729 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(6-dodecyloxy-2-naphthoyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1610  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6 + \text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.85 (3H, t, J=6.6Hz), 0.97 (3H, d, J=6.7Hz), 1.07 (3H, d, J=5.9Hz), 1.2-1.6 (18H, m), 1.7-2.1 (5H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.45 (1H, m), 3.73 (2H, m), 3.9-4.5 (12H, m), 4.79 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.87 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.07 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.74 (1H, d, J=8.1Hz), 6.78 (1H, dd, J=8.1Hz and 2Hz), 7.06 (1H, d, J=2Hz), 7.23 (1H, dd, J=8.9Hz and 2.4Hz), 7.38 (1H, d, J=2.4Hz), 7.85 (1H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.89 (1H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.93 (1H, d, J=8.9Hz), 8.44 (1H, s)

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1320 (M + Na)

Example 42

FR140730 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(2-anthrylcarbonyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1185 (M + Na)

Example 43

FR143020 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[2-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acetyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.87 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.0-1.2 (6H, m), 1.2-1.6 (10H, m), 1.6-1.85 (2H, m), 1.85-2.1 (3H, m), 2.3-2.6 (3H, m), 2.7-2.85 (1H, m), 3.32 (1H, m), 3.46 (2H, s), 3.7-4.7 (16H, m), 5.04 (1H, d, J=3.7Hz), 5.23 (1H, d, J=2.7Hz), 6.75-6.9 (3H, m), 7.01 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.15 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.30 (1H, s)

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1227 (M + Na)

Example 44

FR143021 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)propionyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1241 (M + Na)

Example 45

FR141315 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-[(E)-3-(4-octyloxyphenyl)acryloyl]-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

NMR ( $\text{DMSO-d}_6 + \text{D}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\delta$ ) : 0.86 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 0.97 (3H, d, J=6.7Hz), 1.04 (3H, d, J=5.4Hz), 1.2-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-2.0 (5H, m), 2.1-2.5 (3H, m), 2.5-2.6 (1H, m), 3.17 (1H, m), 3.3-4.5 (15H, m), 4.79 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.86 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.01 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.57 (1H, d, J=15.8Hz), 6.74 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.82 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.97 (2H, d, J=8.8Hz), 7.09 (1H, s), 7.34 (1H, d, J=15.8Hz), 7.52 (2H, d, J=8.8Hz)

FAB-MS  $e/z$  = 1239 (M + Na)

Example 46

FR140105 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 1-(O<sup>4</sup>-octyl-N,N-dimethyl-L-tyrosyl)-1H-benzotriazole-3-oxide according to a similar manner to that of Example 12.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>  
 NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD, δ) : 0.91 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.12 (3H, d, J=6.1Hz), 1.33 (10H, m), 1.74 (2H, m), 1.98 (3H, m), 2.40 (6H, s), 2.3-2.6 (3H, m), 2.8 (2H, m), 2.9-3.1 (1H, m), 3.3-3.5 (2H, m), 3.6-4.7 (16H, m), 5.06 (1H, d, J=3.8Hz), 5.33 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.77 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 6.86 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.03 (1H, dd, J=8.3Hz and 2Hz), 7.07 (2H, d, J=8.6Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J=2Hz)

Example 47

FR141564 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 4-octyloxyphenylsulfonyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>  
 NMR (DMSO-d<sub>6</sub> + D<sub>2</sub>O, δ) : 0.87 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 0.97 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.04 (3H, d, J=5.7Hz), 1.1-1.5 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.04 (3H, d, J=5.7Hz), 1.1-1.5 (10H, m), 1.6-2.1 (5H, m), 2.45 (3H, m), 2.5-2.7 (1H, m), 3.19 (1H, m), 3.7-4.5 (16H, m), 4.80 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 4.88 (1H, d, J=4Hz), 5.08 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.74 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.82 (1H, d, J=8.2Hz), 6.84 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz), 7.07 (1H, s), 7.51 (2H, d, J=8.7Hz)  
 FAB-MS e/z = 1249 (M + Na)

Example 48

FR143170 substance was obtained by reacting FR133303 substance with 6-octyloxy-2-naphthylsulfonyl chloride according to a similar manner to that of Example 6.

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>  
 NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD, δ) : 0.29 (3H, d, J=6.0Hz), 0.91 (3H, t, J=6.7Hz), 1.07 (3H, d, J=6.9Hz), 1.25-1.6 (10H, m), 1.7-2.2 (5H, m), 2.2-2.6 (4H, m), 3.37 (1H, m), 3.55-4.65 (17H, m), 4.97 (1H, m), 5.54 (1H, m), 6.84 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.01 (1H, dd, J=8.4Hz and 2Hz), 7.15-7.3 (3H, m), 7.75-8.0 (3H, m), 8.35 (1H, s)  
 FAB-MS e/z = 1299 (M + Na)

Example 49

To a solution of FR138364 substance obtained in Example 5 (0.24 g) in acetonitrile (5 ml) was added p-toluenesulfonic acid (0.132 g) and stirred for 8 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was added to water and the aqueous layer was adjusted to pH 4.5 with saturated sodium bicarbonate aqueous solution. The aqueous solution was subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give FR138912 substance (0.15 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>  
 FAB-MS e/z = 1272 (M + K)

Example 50

The mixture of FR138728 substance obtained in Example 8 (0.15 g) and 1-octyl-1,4-dihydropyridine-4-thione (0.031 g) in N,N-dimethylformamide was stirred for 1.5 hours under ice-cooling. The reaction mixture was pulverized with diethyl ether (50 ml). The precipitate was filtrated and dried over phosphorus pentoxide under reduced pressure. The powder was added to water (300 ml) and adjusted to pH 4.5. The aqueous solution was subjected to column chromatography on Diaion HP-20 (50 ml) and eluted with 80% aqueous methanol. The fractions containing the object compound were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to remove methanol. The residue was lyophilized to give FR138960 substance (0.15 g).

IR (Nujol) : 3300, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>  
 FAB-MS e/z = 1222 (Free M + Na)

The following compounds (Examples 51 to 53) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

Example 51

5 FR138727 substance

10 NMR (CD<sub>3</sub>OD,  $\delta$ ): 0.90 (3H, t, J=6.8Hz), 1.05 (3H, d, J=6.8Hz), 1.17-1.33 (13H, m), 1.6-1.8 (2H, m), 1.9-2.1 (3H, m), 2.50 (1H, m), 2.75 (1H, dd, J=16Hz and 4Hz), 3.40 (1H, m), 3.7-3.8 (1H, m), 3.98 (2H, t, J=6.2Hz), 3.9-4.2 (5H, m), 4.3-4.5 (5H, m), 4.5-4.7 (3H, m), 4.97 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.06 (1H, s), 5.20 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 5.40 (1H, d, J=3Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 6.95 (2H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.02 (1H, d, J=8.3Hz), 7.30 (1H, d, J=8.5Hz), 7.44 (1H, s)

Example 52

15 FR138912 substance

IR (Nujol): 3300, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>

Example 53

20 FR138960 substance

IR (Nujol): 3300, 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup>

25 The following compounds (Preparations 94 and 95) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Preparation 5.

Preparation 94

30 Succinimido 4-(4-heptyloxyphenyl)benzoate

IR (Nujol): 1160, 1740, 1600 cm<sup>-1</sup>

NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>,  $\delta$ ): 0.87 (3H, t, J=6.8 Hz), 1.2-1.7 (8H, m), 1.7-1.9 (2H, m), 2.92 (4H, s), 4.01 (2H, t, J=6.5 Hz), 7.00 (2H, d, J=8.8 Hz), 7.58 (2H, d, J=8.8 Hz), 7.69 (2H, d, J=8.5 Hz), 8.17 (2H, d, J=8.5 Hz)

35 Preparation 95

Succinimido 4-(4-hexyloxyphenoxy)benzoate

IR (Nujol): 1760, 1720, 1600 cm<sup>-1</sup>

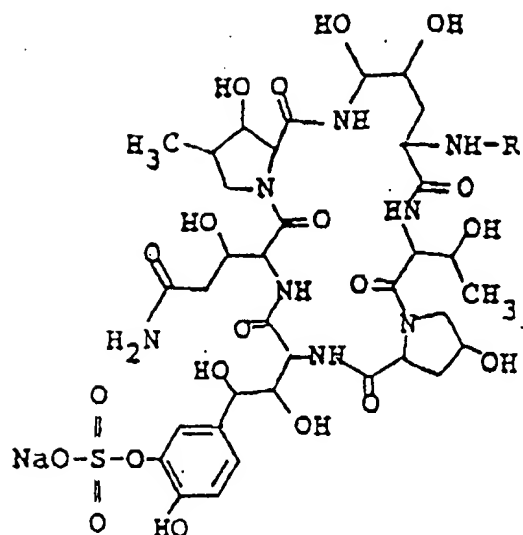
40 NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>,  $\delta$ ): 0.92 (3H, t, J=6.8 Hz), 1.2-1.5 (6H, m), 1.7-1.9 (2H, m), 2.90 (4H, s), 3.96 (2H, t, J=6.5 Hz), 6.9-7.1 (6H, m), 8.07 (2H, d, J=9 Hz)

In the following, the structures of the compounds of Examples 54 and 55 are shown.

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Example No.	Compound No.	R
54	FR144274	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_6\text{CH}_3$
55	FR144271	$-\text{CO}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}-\text{C}_6\text{H}_4-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{CH}_3$

The following compounds (Example 54 and 55) were obtained according to a similar manner to that of Example 3.

#### Example 54

FR144274

IR (Nujol) :	3300, 1620 $\text{cm}^{-1}$			
Anal. Calcd.	for $\text{C}_{55}\text{H}_{73}\text{N}_8\text{SO}_{22}\text{Na} \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$			
Found :	C : 48.53,	H : 6.29,	N : 8.23,	S : 2.35
	C : 48.36,	H : 6.34,	N : 8.15,	S : 2.30

FAB-MS  $m/z$  1275 ( $\text{M}+\text{Na}$ )

#### Example 55

FR144271

Anal. Calcd.	for $\text{C}_{54}\text{H}_{71}\text{N}_8\text{SO}_{23}\text{Na} \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$			
	C : 47.57,	H : 6.14,	N : 8.22,	S : 2.35



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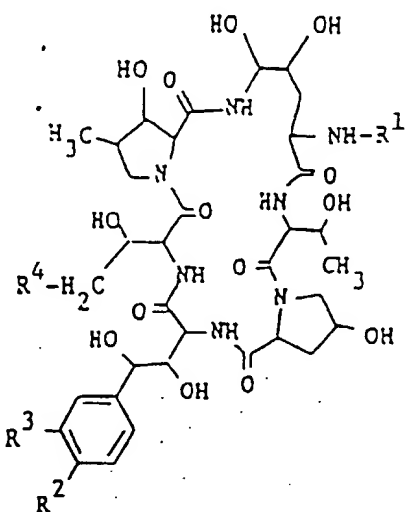
Anal. Calcd.	for $C_{54}H_{71}N_8SO_{23}Na \cdot 6H_2O$			
Found :	C : 47.58,	H : 6.05,	N : 8.18,	S : 2.37

FAB-MS  $m/z = 1277$  (M+Na)

## Claims

Claims for the following Contracting States : AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, FR, GB, IT, LI, LU, NL, SE

1. A polypeptide compound of the following general formula :



wherein

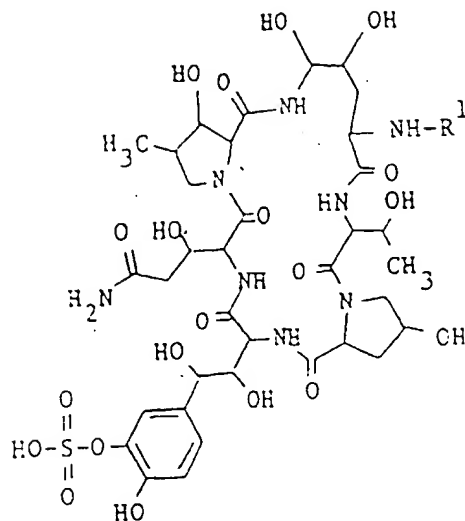
$R^1$  is hydrogen or acyl group,  
 $R^2$  is hydroxy,  
 $R^3$  is hydroxysulfonyloxy, and  
 $R^4$  is hydrogen or carbamoyl,

with proviso that

$R^1$  is not palmitoyl, when  $R^2$  is hydroxy,  
 $R^3$  is hydroxysulfonyloxy and  
 $R^4$  is carbamoyl,

and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

2. A polypeptide compound of claim 1, which is shown by the following formula :



wherein R<sup>1</sup> is as defined above.

3. A compound of claim 2, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is (a) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (1) halogen, (2) phenyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl, naphthyl, and anthryl,

(3) naphthyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl, naphthyl, and anthryl,

(4) anthryl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl, naphthyl, and anthryl,

(5) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (6) amino, (7) protected amino, (8) di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamino, (9) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (10) phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy,

(11) pyridylthio which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl,

(12) thienyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of amino, protected amino and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl,

(13) imidazolyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of amino, protected amino and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl,

(14) pyrazolyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of amino, protected amino and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl,

(15) furyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of amino, protected amino and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl,

(16) tetrazolyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of amino, protected amino and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl,

(17) thiazolyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of amino, protected amino and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, and

(18) thiadiazolyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of amino, protected amino and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl;

(b) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkanoyl;

(c) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (1) phenyl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (2) naphthyl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy and (3) anthryl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;

(d) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenoyl; (e) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl;

(f) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl;

(g) phenoxy carbonyl; (h) naphthyloxy carbonyl;

(i) phenylglyoxyloyl; (j) naphthylglyoxyloyl;  
 (k) phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of nitro and (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy;  
 (l) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylsulfonyl; (m) phenylsulfonyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 (n) naphthylsulfonyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 (o) phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylsulfonyl;  
 (p) benzoyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (1) halogen, (2) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl,

(3) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, (4) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, halogen, phenyl, naphthyl and anthryl,  
 (5) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy which may have one or more halogen, (6) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenyloxy, (7) carboxy,  
 (8) phenyl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy,  
 (9) naphthyl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (10) anthryl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy,  
 (11) phenoxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (12) naphthyloxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (13) anthryloxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;

(q) naphthoyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (1) halogen, (2) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl, (3) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, (4) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, halogen, phenyl, naphthyl and anthryl,

(5) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy which may have one or more halogen, (6) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenyloxy, (7) carboxy,  
 (8) phenyl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy,  
 (9) naphthyl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (10) anthryl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy,  
 (11) phenoxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (12) naphthyloxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (13) anthryloxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy; or

(r) anthrylcarbonyl which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (1) halogen, (2) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl,

(3) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, (4) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy which may have one or more substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, halogen, phenyl, naphthyl and anthryl,  
 (5) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy which may have one or more halogen, (6) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenyloxy, (7) carboxy,  
 (8) phenyl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (9) naphthyl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (10) anthryl which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (11) phenoxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (12) naphthyloxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (13) anthryloxy which may have one or more (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy.

#### 4. A compound of claim 3, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl;

halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl;  
 phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl or naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl, naphthyl, anthryl, amino, protected amino, di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, and phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl;  
 thienyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, amino and protected amino;  
 imidazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, amino and protected amino;  
 pyrazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, amino and protected amino;

furyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, amino and protected amino;  
 tetrazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, amino and protected amino;  
 5 thiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, amino and protected amino;  
 thiadiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, amino and protected amino;  
 phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 10 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkanoyl;  
 phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenoyl;  
 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl;  
 15 phenoxycarbonyl;  
 naphthylloxycarbonyl;  
 phenylsulfonyl or naphthylsulfonyl each of which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 benzoyl, naphthoyl or anthrylcarbonyl, each of which may have 1 to 5 substituent(s) selected from the  
 20 group consisting of halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, carboxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy which may have 1 to 10 halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy which may have 1 to 17 halogen, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenyloxy, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy or (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;

5. A compound of claim 4, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl; halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl;

30 phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl or naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl, amino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonylamino, di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino and phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl;  
 imidazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl or thiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s)  
 35 selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, amino and (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonylamino;  
 phenyl((C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkanoyl; phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy; (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenoyl; (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl;  
 40 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl; phenoxycarbonyl;  
 phenylsulfonyl or naphthylsulfonyl, each of which may have 1 to 3 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl and (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy; or  
 benzoyl, naphthoyl or anthrylcarbonyl, each of which may have 1 to 5 substituent(s) selected from the  
 45 group consisting of halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, carboxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy which may have 6 to 10 halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy which may have 12 to 17 halogen, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenyloxy, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy and phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy.

6. A compound of claim 5, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy; or

benzoyl, naphthoyl or anthrylcarbonyl, each of which may have 1 to 5 substituent(s) selected from the group consisting of halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkyl, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, carboxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy which may have 6 to 10 halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy which may have 12 to 17 halogen, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenyloxy, phenyl which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, and phenoxy which may have 1 to 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy.

7. A compound of claim 6, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy; or benzoyl or naphthoyl, each of which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenyloxy, or phenyl which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy.

8. A compound of claim 7, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is benzoyl which has (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy.

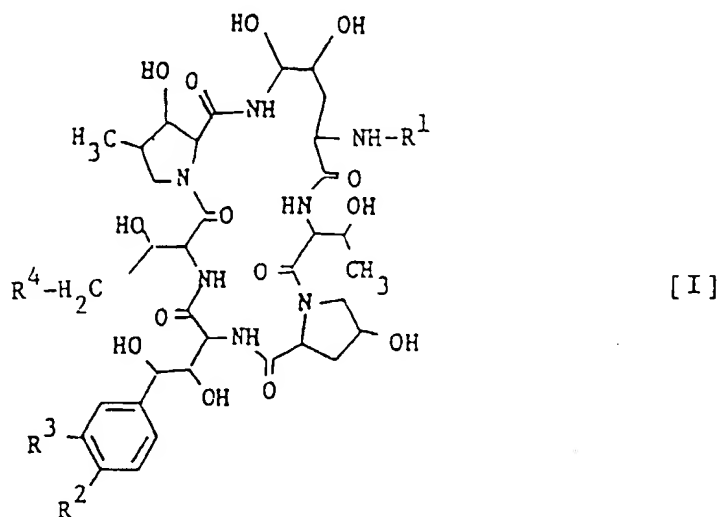
9. A compound of claim 7, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl which has (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy; or naphthoyl which has (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy or (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkenyloxy.

10. A compound of claim 9, wherein

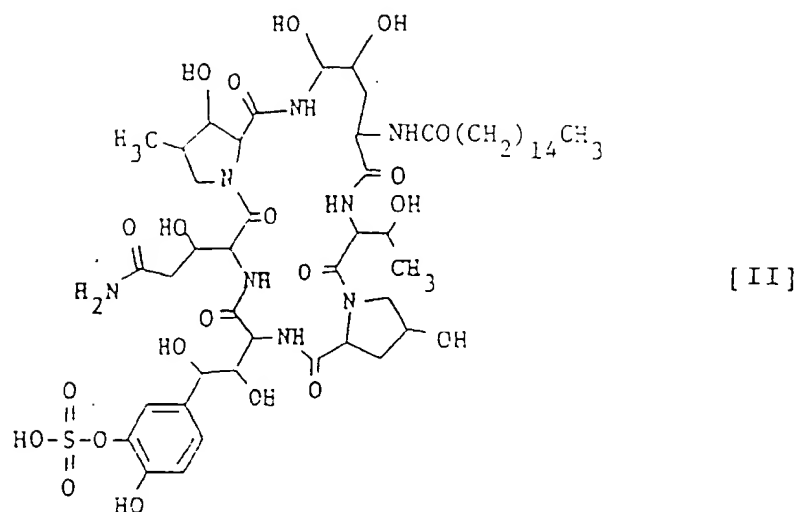
R<sup>1</sup> is naphthoyl which has (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy.

11. A process for the preparation of a polypeptide compound of the formula [I] :



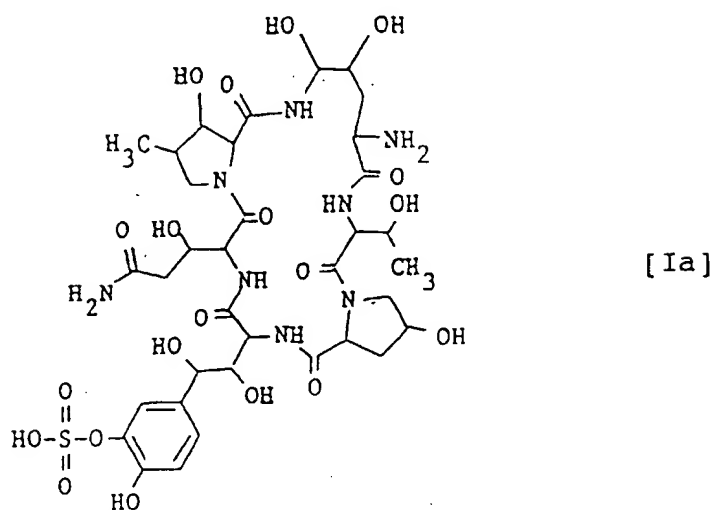
wherein R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup>, R<sup>3</sup>, and R<sup>4</sup> are each as defined in claim 1, or a salt thereof, which comprises

i) subjecting a compound [II] of the formula :



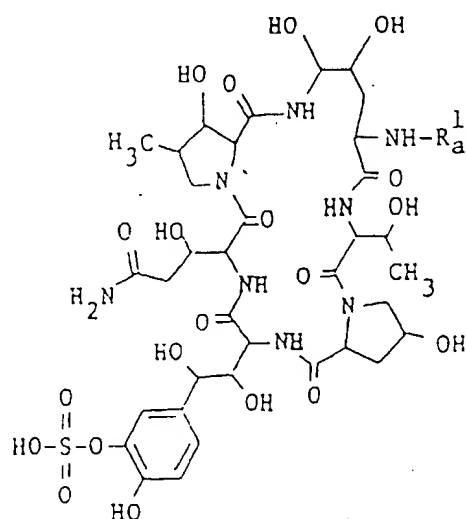
or a salt thereof,

to elimination reaction of N-acyl group, to give a compound of the formula [Ia] :



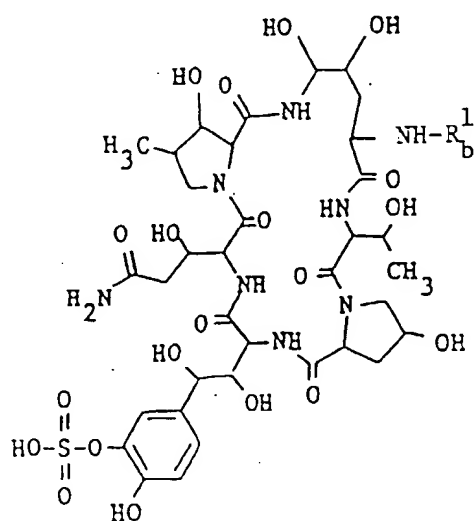
or a salt thereof, or

ii) subjecting a compound of [Ia] or a salt thereof thus obtained to acylation reaction, to give a compound of the formula [Ib] :



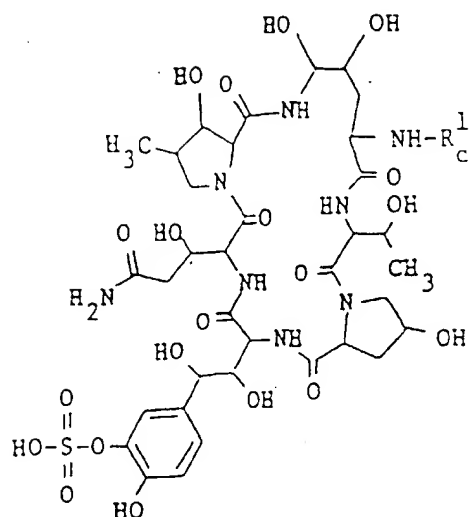
[Ib]

wherein  $R_a^1$  is acyl group exclusive of palmitoyl, or a salt thereof, or  
 iii) subjecting a compound [Ic] of the formula :



[Ic]

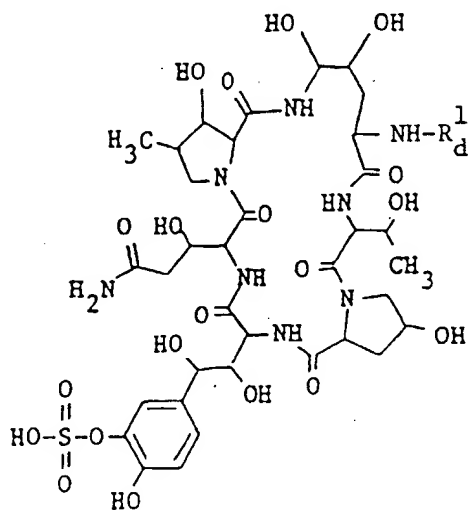
wherein  $R_b^1$  is phenyl( $C_1$ - $C_6$ )alkanoyl which has ( $C_7$ - $C_{20}$ )alkoxy and protected amino, or naphthyl( $C_1$ - $C_6$ )alkanoyl which has ( $C_7$ - $C_{20}$ )alkoxy and protected amino,  
 or a salt thereof, to elimination reaction of amino protective group, to give a compound [Id] of the formula :



[ Id ]

wherein  $R_c^1$  is phenyl( $C_1$ - $C_6$ )alkanoyl which has ( $C_7$ - $C_{20}$ )alkoxy and amino, or naphthyl( $C_1$ - $C_6$ )alkanoyl which has ( $C_7$ - $C_{20}$ )alkoxy and amino, or a salt thereof,

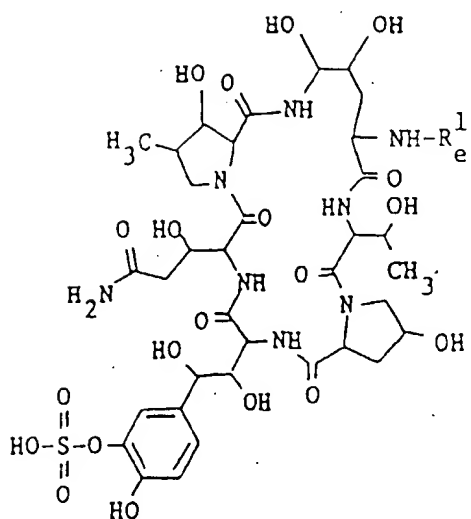
iv) reacting a compound of the formula [Ie]:



[ Ie ]

wherein  $R_d^1$  is halo( $C_1$ - $C_6$ )alkanoyl, or a salt thereof, with pyridinethione which may have ( $C_7$ - $C_{20}$ )alkyl or a salt thereof, to give a compound of the formula [If]:

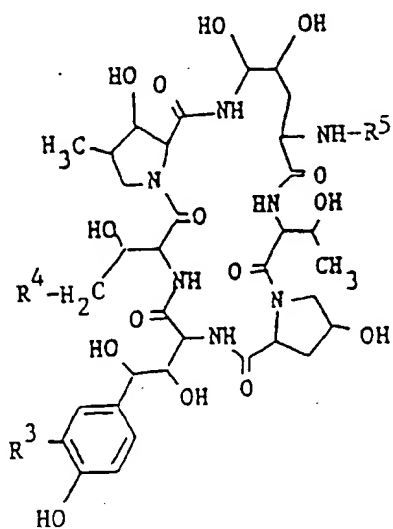




[ If ]

wherein R<sub>e</sub><sup>1</sup> is pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl, or a salt thereof, or

v) subjecting a compound of the formula [IV] :



[ IV ]

wherein

R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> are each as defined above, and

R<sup>5</sup> is acyl group,

or a salt thereof, to acylation reaction to give a compound of the formula [Ig] :



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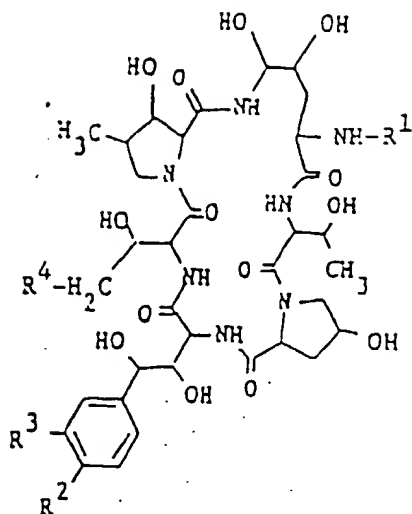
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wherein

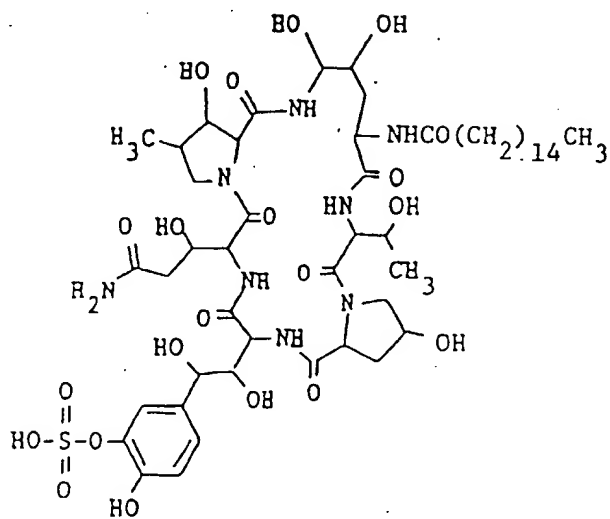
$R^1$  is hydrogen or acyl group,  
 $R^2$  is hydroxy;  
 $R^3$  is hydroxysulfonyloxy, and  
 $R^4$  is hydrogen or carbamoyl,

with proviso that

$R^1$  is not palmitoyl, when  $R^2$  is hydroxy,  
 $R^3$  is hydroxysulfonyloxy and  
 $R^4$  is carbamoyl,

and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, which comprises

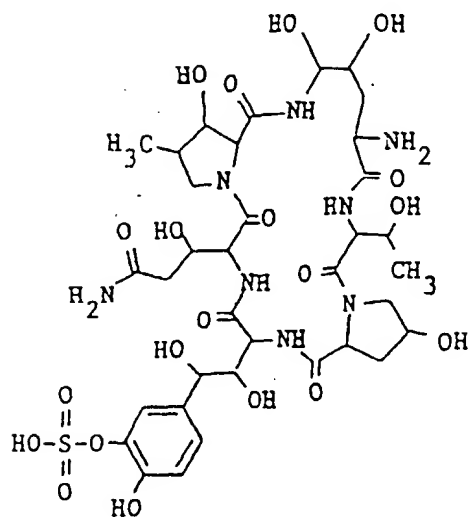
i) subjecting a compound [II] or the formula :



[ II ]

or a salt thereof,

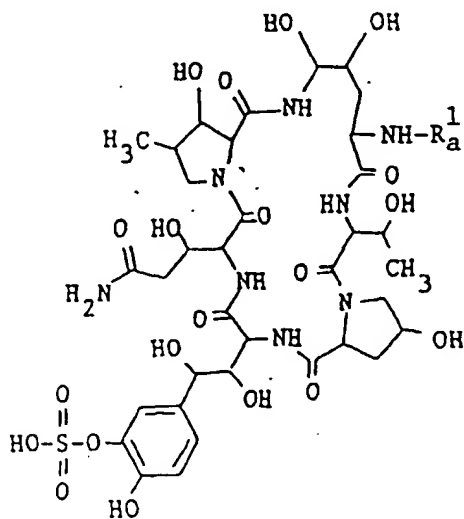
to elimination reaction of N-acyl group, to give a compound of the formula [Ia] :



[Ia]

or a salt thereof, or

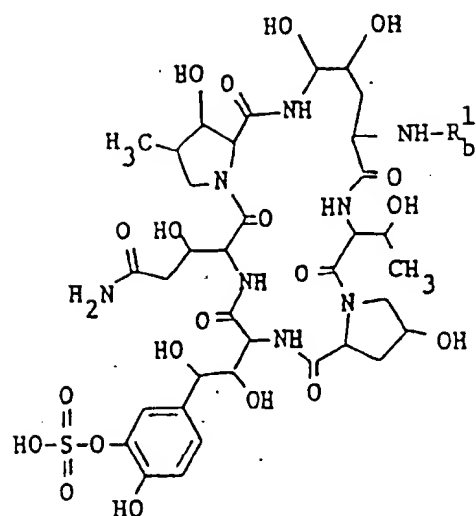
ii) subjecting a compound of [Ia] or a salt thereof thus obtained to acylation reaction, to give a compound of the formula [Ib] :



[Ib]

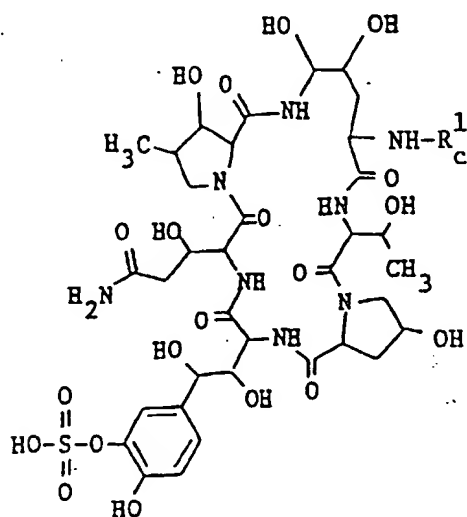
wherein R<sub>a</sub><sup>1</sup> is acyl group exclusive of palmitoyl, or a salt thereof, or

iii) subjecting a compound [Ic] of the formula :



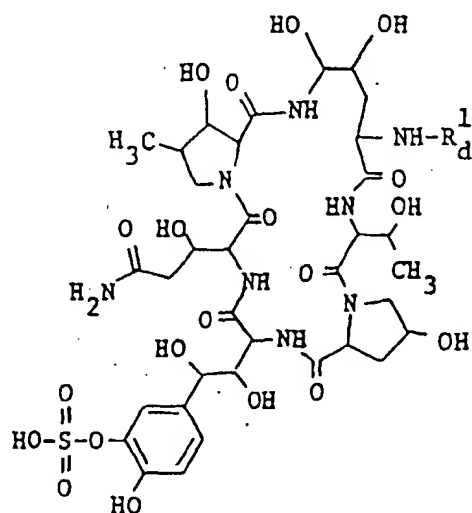
[Ic]

wherein R<sub>b</sub><sup>1</sup> is phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which has (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy and protected amino, or naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which has (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy and protected amino, or a salt thereof, to elimination reaction of amino protective group, to give a compound [Id] of the formula:



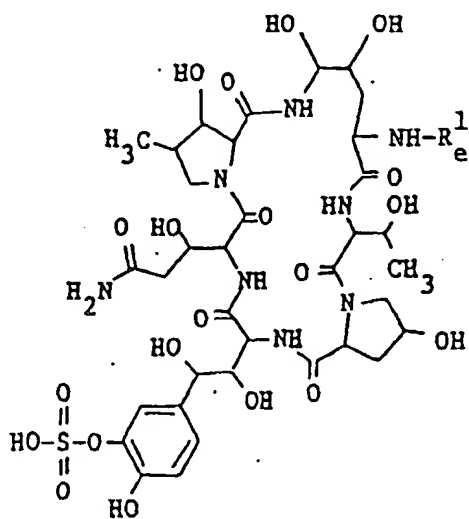
[Id]

wherein R<sub>c</sub><sup>1</sup> is phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which has (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy and amino, or naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which has (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkoxy and amino, or a salt thereof or,  
iv) reacting a compound of the formula [Ie]:



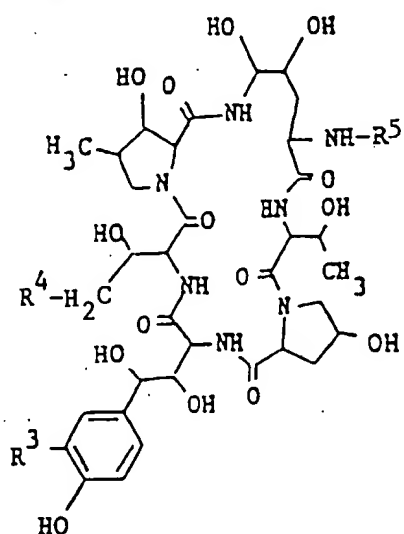
[Ie]

wherein R<sub>d</sub><sup>1</sup> is halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl,  
or a salt thereof, with pyridinethione which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl or a salt thereof, to give a compound of  
the formula [If] :



[If]

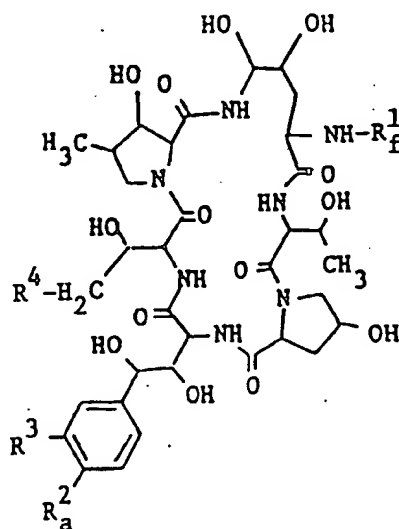
wherein R<sub>e</sub><sup>1</sup> is pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl which may have (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)alkyl,  
or a salt thereof, or  
v) subjecting a compound of the formula [IV] :



[ IV ]

wherein R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> are each as defined above, and  
R<sup>5</sup> is acyl group,

or a salt thereof, to acylation reaction to give a compound of the formula [Ig] :



[ Ig ]

wherein

R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> are each as defined above,  
R<sup>1</sup><sub>F</sub> is acyl group, and  
R<sup>2</sup><sub>a</sub> is acyloxy,

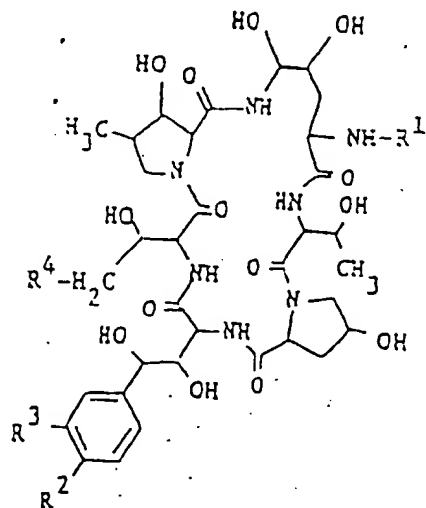
or a salt thereof.

2. A modification of the process of claim 1, which comprises admixture of the compound prepared according to claim 1 with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient.

## Patentansprüche

Patentanspruch für folgende Vertragsstaaten: AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, FR, GB, IT, LI, LU, NL, SE

1. Eine Polypeptidverbindung der folgenden allgemeinen Formel:



wobei

R<sup>1</sup> Wasserstoff oder Acylgruppe ist,  
 R<sup>2</sup> ist Hydroxy,  
 R<sup>3</sup> ist Hydroxysulfonyloxy, und  
 R<sup>4</sup> ist Wasserstoff oder Carbamoyl,

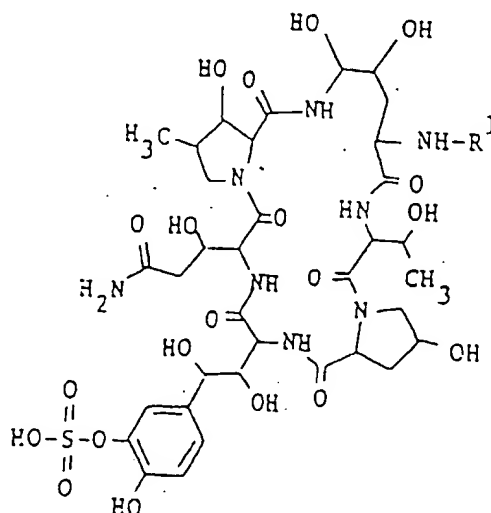
mit der Maßgabe, daß

R<sup>1</sup> nicht Palmitoyl ist, wenn R<sup>2</sup> Hydroxy ist,  
 R<sup>3</sup> Hydroxysulfonyloxy ist und  
 R<sup>4</sup> Carbamoyl ist,

und ein pharmazeutisch annehmbares Salz davon.

2. Eine Polypeptidverbindung von Anspruch 1, welche anhand der folgenden Formel dargestellt wird:





wobei R<sup>1</sup> wie oben definiert ist.

3. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 2, wobei

R<sup>1</sup> ist (a) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkanoyl, welche ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben können, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (1) Halogen, (2) Phenyl, welche ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben können, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Hydroxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, Phenyl, Naphthyl und Anthryl,

(3) Naphthyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Hydroxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, Phenyl, Naphthyl, und Anthryl,

(4) Anthryl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Hydroxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, Phenyl, Naphthyl, und Anthryl,

(5) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, (6) Amino, (7) geschütztes Amino,

(8) Di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamino, (9) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino,

(10) Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, welche ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben können,

(11) Pyridylthio, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl haben kann,

(12) Thienyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Amino, geschütztem Amino und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl,

(13) Imidazolyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Amino, geschütztem Amino und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl,

(14) Pyrazolyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Amino, geschütztem Amino und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl,

(15) Furyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Amino, geschütztem Amino und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl,

(16) Tetrazolyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Amino, geschütztem Amino und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl,

(17) Thiazolyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Amino, geschütztem Amino und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, und

(18) Thiadiazolyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Amino, geschütztem Amino und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl;

(b) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkanoyl;

(c) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkenoyl, welche ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben können, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (1) Phenyl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (2) Naphthyl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy und (3) Anthryl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann;

(d) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenoyl; (e) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxycarbonyl;

(f) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxycarbonyl;

(g) Phenoxy-carbonyl; (h) Naphthyl-oxy-carbonyl;

(i) Phenylglyoxyloyl; (j) Naphthylglyoxyloyl;

(k) Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxycarbonyl, welche ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben können, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Nitro und (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy;  
 (l) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkylsulfonyl; (m) Phenylsulfonyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy;  
 (n) Naphthylsulfonyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy;  
 (o) Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylsulfonyl;  
 (p) Benzoyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus

(1) Halogen, (2) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl, (3) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl,  
 (4) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, welche ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben können, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, Halogen, Phenyl, Naphthyl und Anthryl,  
 (5) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, welche ein oder mehr Halogen haben können, (6) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenyloxy, (7) Carboxy,  
 (8) Phenyl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann,  
 (9) Naphthyl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy,  
 (10) Anthryl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy,  
 (11) Phenoxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy,  
 (12) Naphthyloxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy,  
 und (13) Anthryloxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann;

(q) Naphthoyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus

(1) Halogen, (2) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl, (3) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl,  
 (4) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, welche ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben können, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, Halogen, Phenyl, Naphthyl und Anthryl,  
 (5) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, welche ein oder mehr Halogen haben können, (6) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenyloxy, (7) Carboxy,  
 (8) Phenyl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann,  
 (9) Naphthyl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (10) Anthryl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann,  
 (11) Phenoxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann,  
 (12) Naphthyloxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (13) Anthryloxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann; oder

(r) Anthrylcarbonyl, welches ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (1) Halogen, (2) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl,

(3) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, (4) (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, welche ein oder mehr Substituent(en) haben können, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, Halogen, Phenyl, Naphthyl und Anthryl,  
 (5) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, welche ein oder mehr Halogen haben können, (6) (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenyloxy, (7) Carboxy,  
 (8) Phenyl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (9) Naphthyl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (10) Anthryl, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (11) Phenoxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (12) Naphthyloxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (13) Anthryloxy, welches ein oder mehr (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann.

4. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 3, wobei

R<sup>1</sup> ist (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkanoyl;

Halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl;  
 Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl oder Naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, von welchem jedes 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Hydroxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, Phenyl, Naphthyl, Anthryl, Amino, geschütztes Amino, Di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino,

und

Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann;  
 Pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl haben kann;  
 Thienyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe  
 bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Amino und geschütztes Amino;  
 Imidazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe  
 bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Amino und geschütztes Amino;  
 Pyrazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe  
 bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Amino und geschütztes Amino;  
 Furyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe  
 bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Amino und geschütztes Amino;  
 Tetrazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe  
 bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Amino und geschütztes Amino;  
 Thiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe  
 bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino,  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Amino und geschütztes Amino;  
 Thiadiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe  
 bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino,  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Amino und geschütztes Amino;  
 Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkanoyl;  
 Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenoyl;  
 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxycarbonyl;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxycarbonyl;  
 Phenoxy-carbonyl;  
 Naphthylloxycarbonyl;  
 Phenylsulfonyl oder Naphthylsulfonyl, von welchem jedes 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, aus-  
 gewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy;  
 Benzoyl, Naphthoyl oder Anthrylcarbonyl, von welchem jedes 1 bis 5 Substituent(en) haben kann,  
 ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Carboxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)  
 Alkoxy, welches 1 bis 10 Halogen haben kann, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy,  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, welches 1 bis 17 Halogen haben kann,  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenyloxy, Phenyl, welche 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben können;  
 Phenoxy, welche 1 bis 3 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy oder (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben können;

5. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 4, wobei

R<sup>1</sup> ist (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkanoyl; Halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl;

Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl oder Naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, von welchen jedes 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben  
 kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Hydroxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, Phenyl, Ami-  
 no, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxycarbonylamino, Di(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkylamino, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino und Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alk-  
 oxyimino, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann;  
 Pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl haben kann;  
 Imidazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl oder Thiazolyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, von welchen jedes 1 bis 3 Substituent(en)  
 haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxyimino, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Amino und  
 (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxycarbonylamino;  
 Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxyimino(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkanoyl; Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>) alkenoyl, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenoyl; (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxycarbonyl;  
 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxycarbonyl; Phenoxy-carbonyl;  
 Phenylsulfonyl oder Naphthylsulfonyl, von welchen jedes 1 bis 3 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausge-  
 wählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl und (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy; oder  
 Benzoyl, Naphthoyl oder Anthrylcarbonyl, von welchen jedes 1 bis 5 Substituent(en) haben kann, aus-  
 gewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Carboxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy,  
 welche 6 bis 10 Halogen haben können, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)  
 Alkoxy, welche 12 bis 17 Halogen haben können, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenyloxy, Phenyl, welche 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)

Alkoxy haben können, und  
Phenoxy, welche 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben können.

6. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 5, wobei

R<sup>1</sup> ist Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann; oder Benzoyl, Naphthoyl oder Anthrylcarbonyl, von welchen jedes 1 bis 5 Substituent(en) haben kann, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus Halogen, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkyl, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl, Carboxy, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy, welche 6 bis 10 Halogen haben können, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)Alkoxy(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkoxy, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy, welche 12 bis 17 Halogen haben können, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenyloxy, Phenyl, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, und Phenoxy, welches 1 bis 3 (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann.

7. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 6, wobei

R<sup>1</sup> ist Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann; oder Benzoyl oder Naphthoyl, von welchen jedes (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann, (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenyloxy, oder Phenyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy haben kann.

8. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 7, wobei

R<sup>1</sup> ist Benzoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy hat.

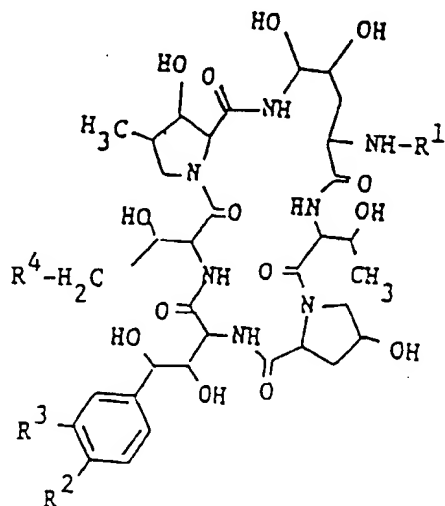
9. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 7, wobei

R<sup>1</sup> ist Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkenoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy hat; oder Naphthoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy oder (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkenyloxy hat.

10. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 9, wobei

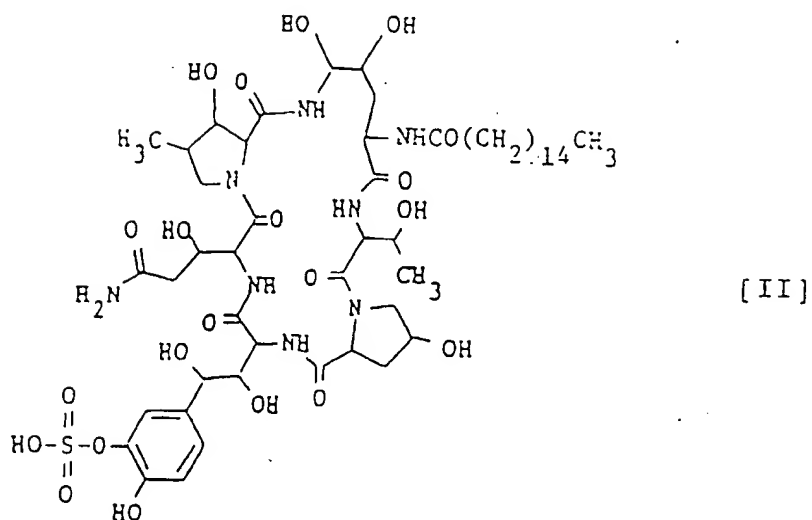
R<sup>1</sup> ist Naphthoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy hat.

11. Ein Verfahren zur Herstellung einer Polypeptidverbindung der Formel [I]:

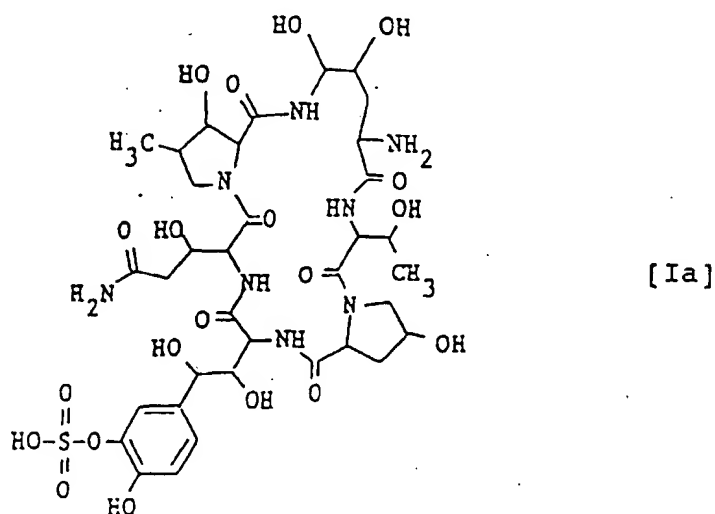


wobei R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup>, R<sup>3</sup>, und R<sup>4</sup> sind je wie in Anspruch 1 definiert, oder ein Salz davon, welches umfaßt

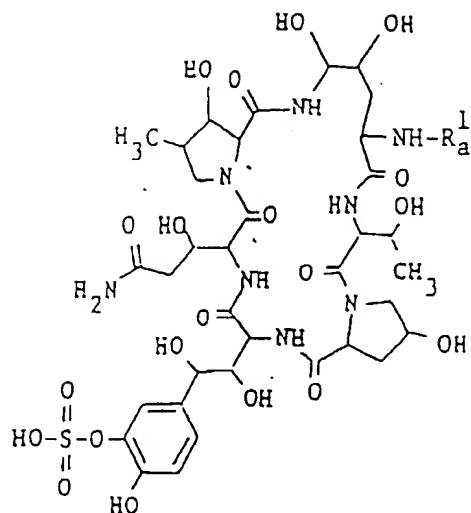
i) Unterwerfen einer Verbindung [II] der Formel:



oder ein Salz davon,  
zur Eliminierungsreaktion von N-Acylgruppe, um eine Verbindung der Formel [Ia] zu erhalten:

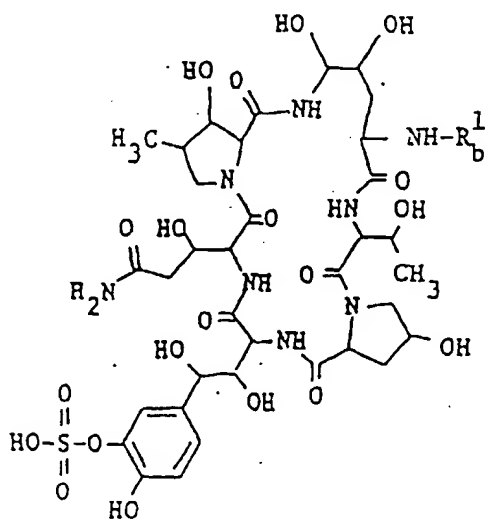


oder ein Salz davon, oder  
(ii) Unterwerfen einer Verbindung von [Ia] oder ein Salz davon, die auf diese Weise erhalten sind, der Acylierungsreaktion, um eine Verbindung der Formel [Ib] zu erhalten:



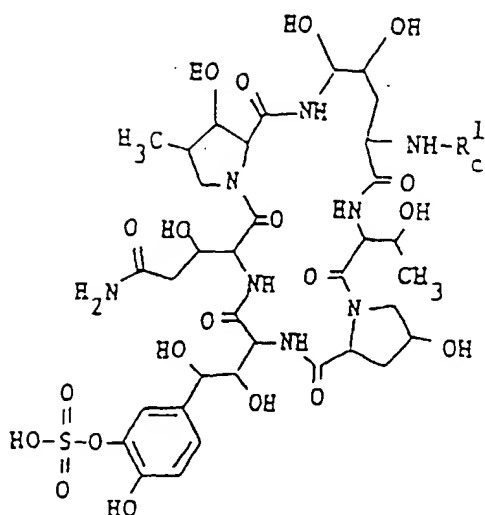
[ Ib ]

wobei  $R_a^1$  ist Acylgruppe ausschließlich Palmitoyl, oder ein Salz davon, oder  
 iii) Unterwerfen einer Verbindung [Ic] der Formel:



[ Ic ]

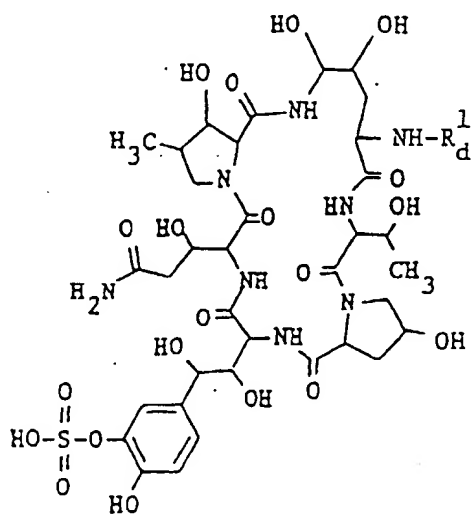
wobei  $R_b^1$  ist Phenyl( $C_1$ - $C_6$ )alkanoyl, welches ( $C_7$ - $C_{20}$ )Alkoxy und geschütztes Amino hat, oder Naphthyl( $C_1$ - $C_6$ )alkanoyl, welches ( $C_7$ - $C_{20}$ )Alkoxy und geschütztes Amino hat,  
 oder ein Salz davon, zur Eliminierungsreaktion der Aminoschutzgruppe, um eine Verbindung [Id] zu erhalten  
 der Formel:



[Id]

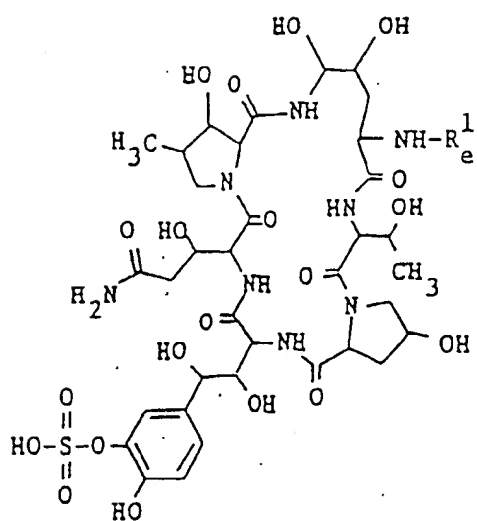
wobei R<sub>c</sub><sup>1</sup> ist Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy und Amino hat, oder Naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy und Amino hat, oder ein Salz davon, oder

iv) Reagieren einer Verbindung der Formel [Ie] :



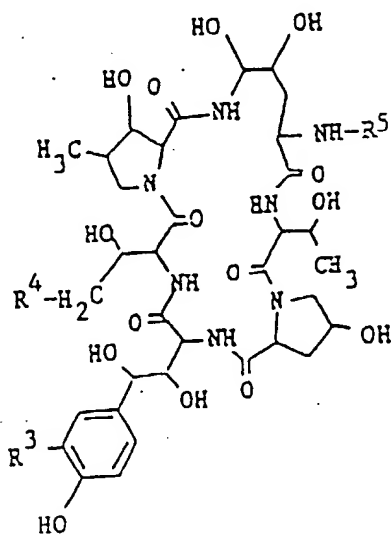
[Ie]

wobei R<sub>d</sub><sup>1</sup> ist Halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, oder ein Salz davon, mit Pyridinthion, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl haben kann, oder ein Salz davon, um eine Verbindung der Formel [If] zu erhalten:



[ If ]

wobei  $R_e^1$  ist Pyridylthio( $C_1$ - $C_6$ )alkanoyl, welches ( $C_7$ - $C_{20}$ )Alkyl haben kann, oder ein Salz davon, oder  
v) Unterwerfen einer Verbindung der Formel [IV]:



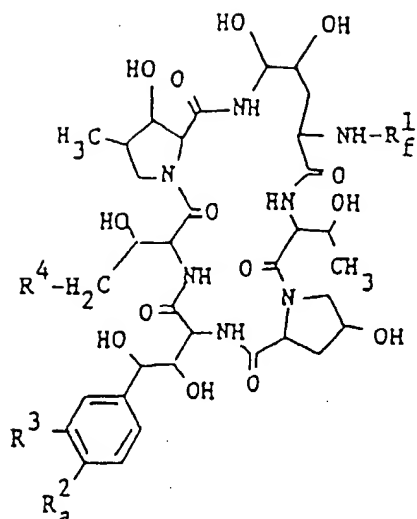
[ IV ]

wobei

$R^3$  und  $R^4$  sind je wie oben definiert, und  
 $R^5$  ist Acylgruppe,

oder ein Salz davon, zur Acylierungsreaktion, um eine Verbindung der Formel [Ig] zu erhalten:





wobei

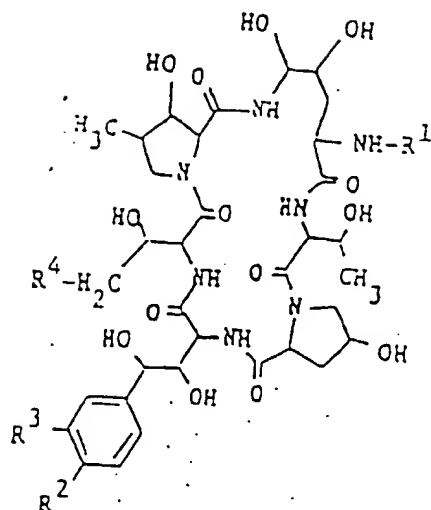
$R^3$  und  $R^4$  sind je wie oben definiert,  
 $R^1_f$  ist Acylgruppe, und  
 $R^2_a$  ist Acyloxy,

oder ein Salz davon.

12. Eine pharmazeutische Zusammensetzung, welche als aktiven Bestandteil eine Verbindung von Anspruch 1 oder ein pharmazeutisch annehmbares Salz davon, in Beimischung mit einem pharmazeutisch annehmbaren Träger oder Exzipienten, umfaßt.
13. Verwendung einer Verbindung von Anspruch 1 oder ein pharmazeutisch annehmbares Salz davon zur Herstellung von einem Medikament zur Behandlung oder Vorbeugung von Infektionskrankheiten.
14. Eine Verbindung von Anspruch 1 und ein pharmazeutisch annehmbares Salz davon zur Verwendung als Medikament.
15. Verwendung einer Verbindung von Anspruch 1 oder ein pharmazeutisch annehmbares Salz davon zur Herstellung von einem Medikament.

**Patentansprüche für folgende Vertragsstaaten: ES, GR**

1. Ein Verfahren zur Herstellung einer Polypeptidverbindung der folgenden allgemeinen Formel:



wobei

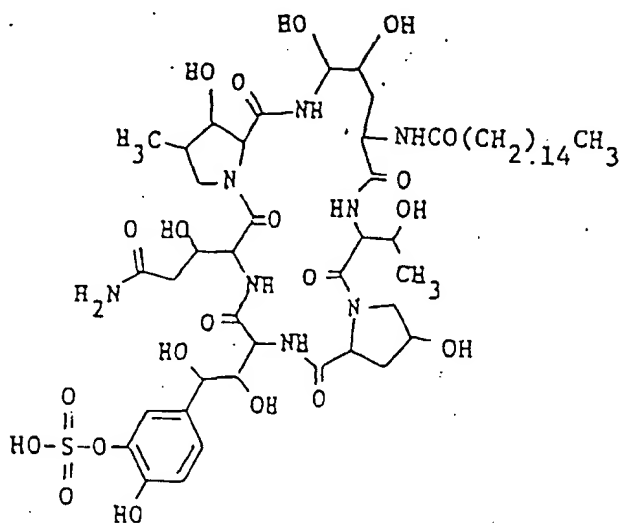
R<sup>1</sup> ist Wasserstoff oder Acylgruppe,  
 R<sup>2</sup> ist Hydroxy,  
 R<sup>3</sup> ist Hydroxysulfonyloxy, und  
 R<sup>4</sup> ist Wasserstoff oder Carbamoyl,

mit der Maßgabe, daß

R<sup>1</sup> nicht Palmitoyl ist, wenn R<sup>2</sup> Hydroxy ist,  
 R<sup>3</sup> Hydroxysulfonyloxy und  
 R<sup>4</sup> Carbamoyl ist,

und ein pharmazeutisch annehmbares Salz davon, welches  
 umfaßt

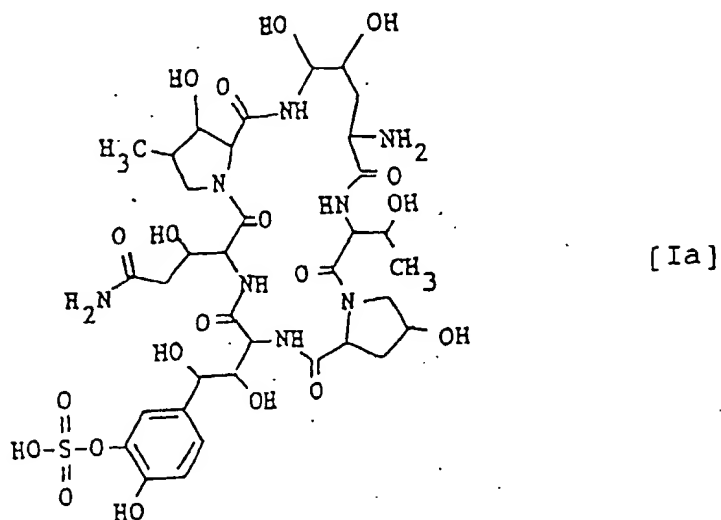
i) Unterworfen einer Verbindung [II] der Formel:



[ II ]

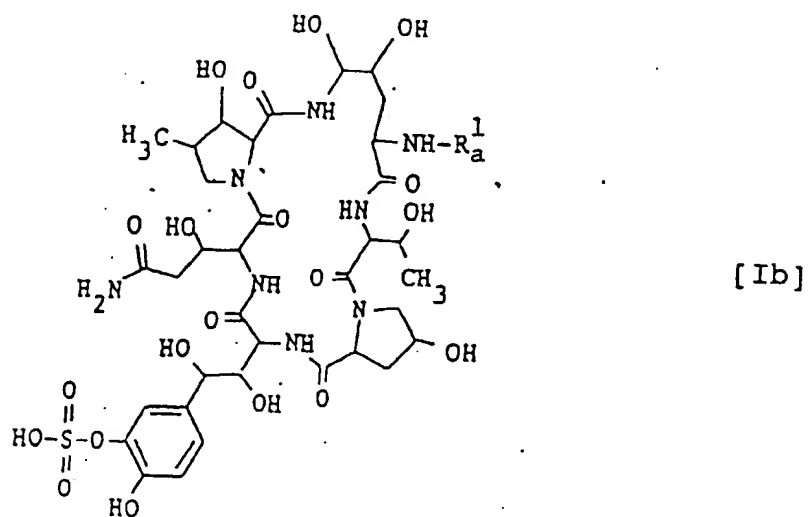
oder ein Salz davon,

zur Eliminierungsreaktion von N-Acylgruppe, um eine Verbindung der Formel [Ia] zu erhalten:



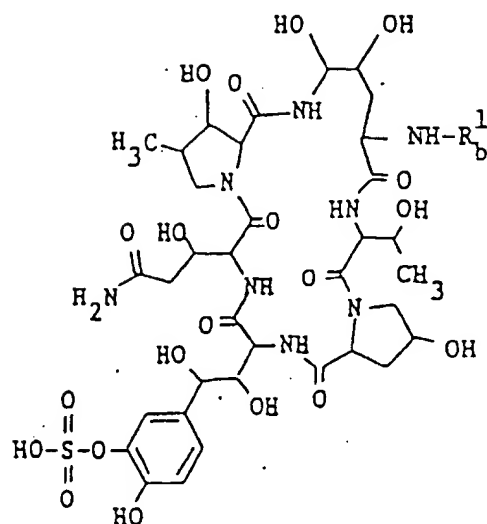
oder ein Salz davon, oder

ii) Unterwerfen einer Verbindung von [Ia] oder einem Salz davon, so erhalten, der Acylierungsreaktion, um eine Verbindung der Formel [Ib] zu erhalten:



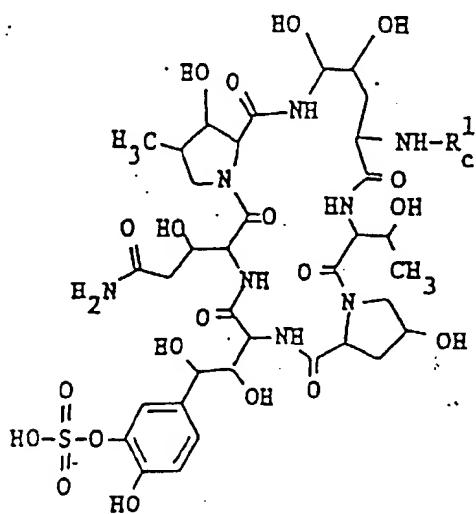
wobei  $R_a^1$  ist Acylgruppe ausschließlich Palmitoyl, oder ein Salz davon, oder

iii) Unterwerfen einer Verbindung [Ic] der Formel:



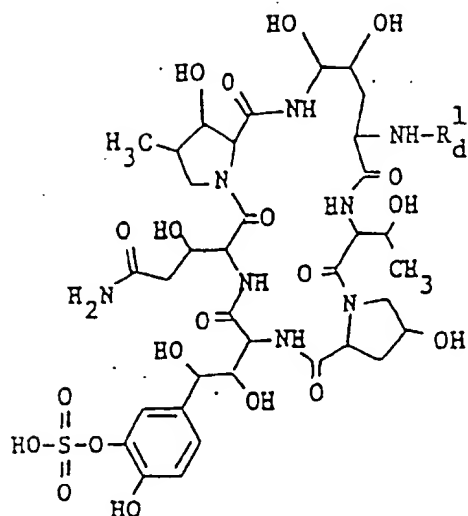
[Ic]

wobei  $R_b^1$  ist Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy und geschütztes Amino hat, oder Naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy und geschütztes Amino hat, oder ein Salz davon, zur Eliminierungsreaktion der Aminoschutzgruppe, um eine Verbindung [Id] zu erhalten der Formel:



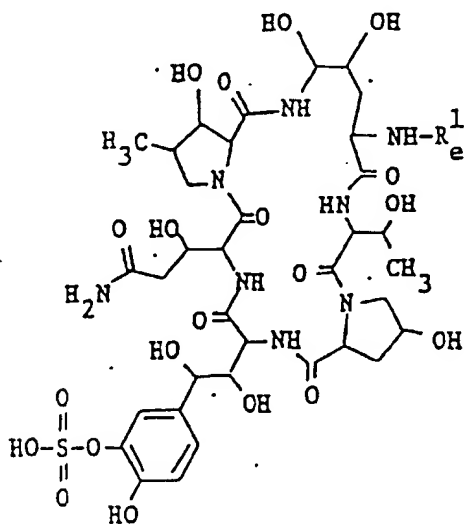
[Id]

wobei  $R_c^1$  ist Phenyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy und Amino hat, oder Naphthyl(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkoxy und Amino hat, oder ein Salz davon, oder  
iv) Reagieren einer Verbindung der Formel [Ie]:



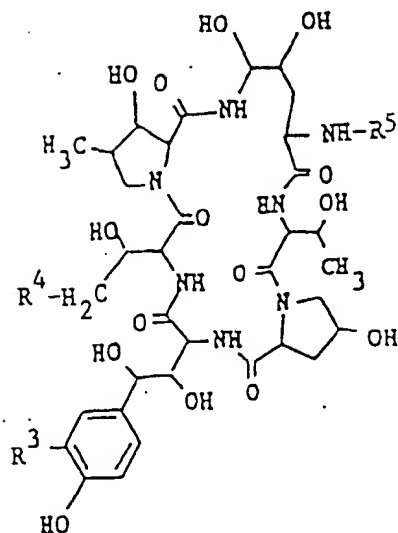
[Ie]

wobei R<sub>d</sub><sup>1</sup> ist Halo(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl,  
oder ein Salz davon, mit Pyridinthion, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl haben kann oder einem Salz davon, um eine  
Verbindung der Formel [If] zu erhalten:



[If]

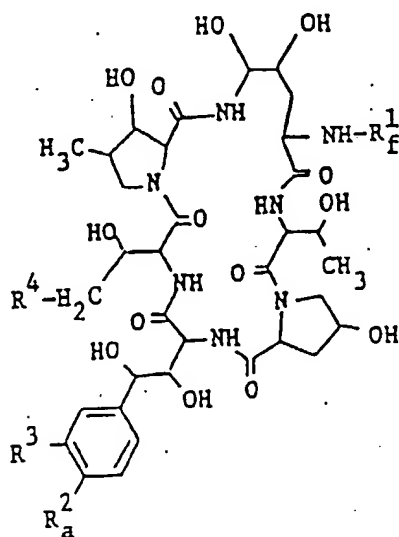
wobei R<sub>e</sub><sup>1</sup> ist Pyridylthio(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)alkanoyl, welches (C<sub>7</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>)Alkyl haben kann,  
oder ein Salz davon, oder  
v) Unterwerfen einer Verbindung der Formel [IV]:



[IV]

wobei  $R^3$  und  $R^4$  sind je wie oben definiert, und  
 $R^5$  ist Acylgruppe,

oder ein Salz davon, zur Acylierungsreaktion, um eine Verbindung der Formel [Ig] zu erhalten:



[Ig]

wobei  $R^3$  und  $R^4$  sind je wie oben definiert,  
 $R^1_f$  ist Acylgruppe, und  
 $R^2_a$  ist Acyloxy,

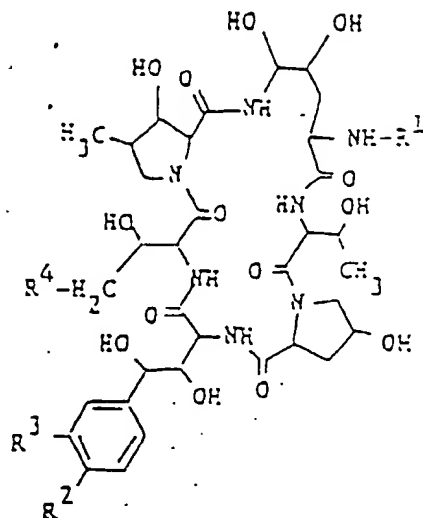
oder ein Salz davon.

2. Eine Modifikation des Verfahrens von Anspruch 1, welche Beimischung der Verbindung, welche gemäß Anspruch 1 hergestellt wurde, mit einem pharmazeutisch annehmbaren Träger oder Exzipienten, umfaßt.

## Revendications

Revendications pour les Etats contractants : AT, BE, CH, DE, DK, FR, GB, IT, LI, LU, NL, SE

1. Polypeptide répondant à la formule générale suivante :



dans laquelle

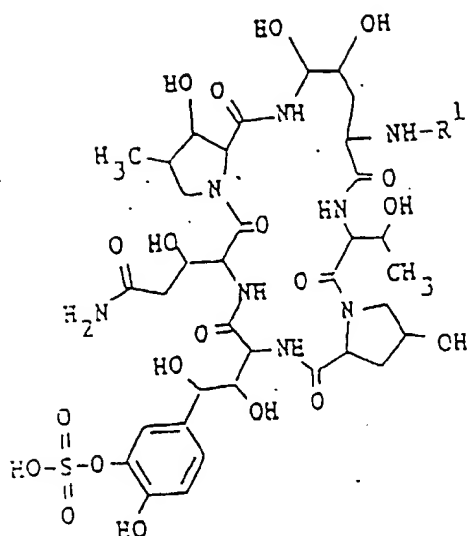
R<sup>1</sup> est un atome d'hydrogène ou un groupe acyle,  
 R<sup>2</sup> est un groupe hydroxy,  
 R<sup>3</sup> est un groupe hydroxysulfonyloxy, et  
 R<sup>4</sup> est un atome d'hydrogène ou un groupe carbamoyle,

sous réserve que :

R<sup>1</sup> ne soit pas un groupe palmitoyle lorsque R<sup>2</sup> est un groupe hydroxy,  
 R<sup>3</sup> soit un groupe hydroxysulfonyloxy, et  
 R<sup>4</sup> soit un groupe carbamoyle,

et un de ses sels pharmaceutiquement acceptables.

2. Polypeptide selon la revendication 1, qui est représenté par la formule suivante :



dans laquelle  $R^1$  est tel que défini ci-dessus.

3. Composé selon la revendication 2, dans lequel :

R<sup>1</sup> est (a) un groupe alcanoyloxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi (1) un atome d'halogène, (2) un groupe phényle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes hydroxy, alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, phényle, naphthyle, et anthryle,

(3) un groupe naphyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes hydroxy, alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, phényle, naphyle et anthryle,

(4) un groupe anthryle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes hydroxy, alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, phényle, naphthyle et anthryle,

(5) un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, (6) un groupe amino, (7) un groupe amino protégé, (8) un groupe di(alkylamino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), (9) un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, (10) un groupe phényl(alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(11) un groupe pyridylthio qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(12) un groupe thiénylye qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes amino, amino protégé et alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>,

(13) un groupe imidazole qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes amino, amino protégé et alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(14) un groupe pyrazolyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes amino, amino protégé et alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(15) un groupe furyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes amino, amino protégé et alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(16) un groupe tétrazole qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes amino, amino protégé et alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(17) un groupe thiazolyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes amino, amino protégé et alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, et

(18) un groupe thiadiazolyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes amino, amino protégé et alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

(b) un groupe alcanoyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

(c) un groupe alcénoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi (1) un groupe phényle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (2) un groupe naphthyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> et (3) un groupe anthryle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

(d) un groupe alcénoyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; (e) un groupe (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>)carbonyle;

(f) un groupe (alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>)carbonyle;



(g) un groupe phénoxy-carbonyle; (h) un groupe naphtyloxy-carbonyle;  
 (i) un groupe phénylglyoxyloyle; (j) un groupe naphtylglyoxyloyle;  
 (k) un groupe phényl(alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>)carbonyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes nitro et alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>;

(l) un groupe (alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>)sulfonyle; (m) un groupe phénylsulfonyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> et alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

(n) un groupe naphtylsulfonyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi les groupes alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> et alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

(o) un groupe phényl(alkylsulfonyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>);

(p) un groupe benzoyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi (1) un atome d'halogène, (2) un groupe alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, (3) un groupe alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (4) un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, un atome d'halogène, un groupe phényle, naphthyle et anthryle,

(5) un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs atomes d'halogène, (6) un groupe alcényloxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (7) un groupe carboxy, (8) un groupe phényle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(9) un groupe naphthyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (10) un groupe anthryle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(11) un groupe phénoxy qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (12) un groupe naphtyloxy qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (13) un groupe anthryloxy qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

(q) un groupe naphtoyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi (1) un atome d'halogène, (2) un groupe alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, (3) un groupe alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (4) un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, un atome d'halogène, un groupe phényle, naphthyle et anthryle,

(5) un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs atomes d'halogène, (6) un groupe alcényloxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (7) un groupe carboxy,

(8) un groupe phényle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

(9) un groupe naphthyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (10) un groupe anthryle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>,

(11) un groupe phénoxy qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (12) un groupe naphtyloxy qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (13) un groupe anthryloxy qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; ou

(r) un groupe anthrylcarbonyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi (1) un atome d'halogène, (2) un groupe alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, (3) un groupe alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (4) un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, un atome d'halogène, un groupe phényle, naphthyle et anthryle,

(5) un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs atomes d'halogène, (6) un groupe alcényloxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (7) un groupe carboxy,

(8) un groupe phényle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (9) un groupe naphthyle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (10) un groupe anthryle qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (11) un groupe phénoxy

qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (12) un groupe naphtyloxy qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, (13) un groupe anthryloxy qui peut avoir un ou plusieurs groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>).

#### 4. Composé selon la revendication 3, dans lequel :

R<sup>1</sup> est un groupe alcanoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>;

halo(alcanoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>);

phényl(alcanoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) ou naphtyl(alcanoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), qui peuvent avoir chacun 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe hydroxy, un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, un groupe alcoxy en

C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, un groupe phényle, un groupe naphthyle, un groupe anthryle, un groupe amino, un groupe amino protégé, un groupe di(alkylamino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, et un groupe phényl(alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;  
 un groupe pyridylthio(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;  
 un groupe thiényl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, amino et amino protégé;  
 un groupe imidazolyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, amino et amino protégé;  
 un groupe pyrazolyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, amino et amino protégé;  
 un groupe furyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, amino et amino protégé;  
 un groupe tétrazolyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, amino et amino protégé;  
 un groupe thiazolyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, amino et amino protégé;  
 un groupe thiadiazolyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, amino et amino protégé;  
 un groupe phényl(alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) (alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;  
 un groupe alcanoyl en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;  
 un groupe phényl(alcénoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;  
 un groupe alcénoyl en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;  
 un groupe (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>)carbonyl;  
 un groupe (alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>)carbonyl;  
 un groupe phénoxy-carbonyl;  
 un groupe naphtyloxy-carbonyl;  
 un groupe phénylsulfonyl ou naphtylsulfonyl dont chacun peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> et alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;  
 un groupe benzoyl, naphtoyl ou anthrylcarbonyl, dont chacun peut avoir 1 à 5 substituants choisis parmi un atome d'halogène, un groupe alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, carboxy, alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> qui peut avoir 1 à 10 atomes d'halogène, un groupe (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), un groupe phényl(alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> qui peut avoir 1 à 17 atomes d'halogène,  
 un groupe alcényloxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, un groupe phényle qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;  
 un groupe phénoxy qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) ou (alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>).

5. Composé selon la revendication 4, dans lequel :

R<sup>1</sup> est un groupe alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>; un groupe halo(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>);

un groupe phényl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) ou naphtyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), dont chacun peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe hydroxy, alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, phényle, amino, (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>)carbonylamino, di(alkylamino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, et phényl(alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

un groupe pyridylthio(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

un groupe imidazolyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) ou thiazolyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) dont chacun peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, amino et (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>)carbonylamino;

un groupe phényl(alcoxyimino en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) (alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>;

un groupe alcanoyl en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; phényl(alcénoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; un groupe alcénoyl en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; un groupe (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>)carbonyl; un groupe (alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>)carbonyl; un groupe phénoxy-carbonyl;

un groupe phénylsulfonyl ou naphtylsulfonyl dont chacun peut avoir 1 à 3 substituants choisis parmi un groupe alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> et alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; ou

un groupe benzoyl, naphtoyl ou anthrylcarbonyl, dont chacun peut avoir 1 à 5 substituants choisis parmi un atome d'halogène, un groupe alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, carboxy, alcoxy en

C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> qui peut avoir 6 à 10 atomes d'halogène, un groupe (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), phényl(alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> qui peut avoir 12 à 17 atomes d'halogène, alcényloxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, phényle qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, et phénoxy qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

6. Composé selon la revendication 5, dans lequel :

R<sup>1</sup> est un groupe phényl(alcénoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; ou un groupe benzoyle, naphtoyle ou anthrylcarbonyle, dont chacun peut avoir 1 à 5 substituants choisis parmi un atome d'halogène, un groupe alkyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>, alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, carboxy, alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub> qui peut avoir 6 à 10 atomes d'halogène, (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) (alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), phényl(alcoxy en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>), alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> qui peut avoir 12 à 17 atomes d'halogène, alcényloxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, phényle qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, et phénoxy qui peut avoir 1 à 3 groupes alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

7. Composé selon la revendication 6, dans lequel :

R<sup>1</sup> est un groupe phényl(alcénoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; ou un groupe benzoyle ou naphtoyle, dont chacun peut avoir un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, alcényloxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, ou phényle qui peut avoir un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

8. Composé selon la revendication 7, dans lequel :

R<sup>1</sup> est un groupe benzoyle qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

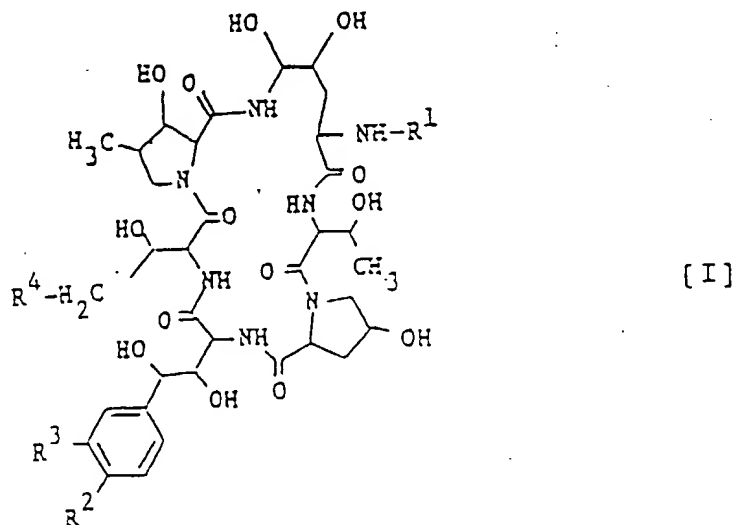
9. Composé selon la revendication 7, dans lequel :

R<sup>1</sup> est un groupe phényl(alcénoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>; ou naphtoyle qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> ou alcényloxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

10. Composé selon la revendication 9, dans lequel :

R<sup>1</sup> est un groupe naphtoyle qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>.

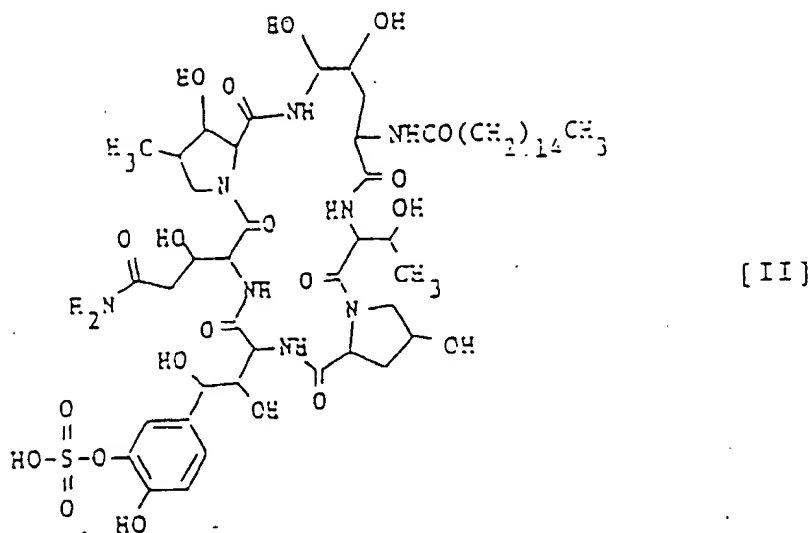
11. Procédé pour la préparation d'un polypeptide répondant à la formule [I] :



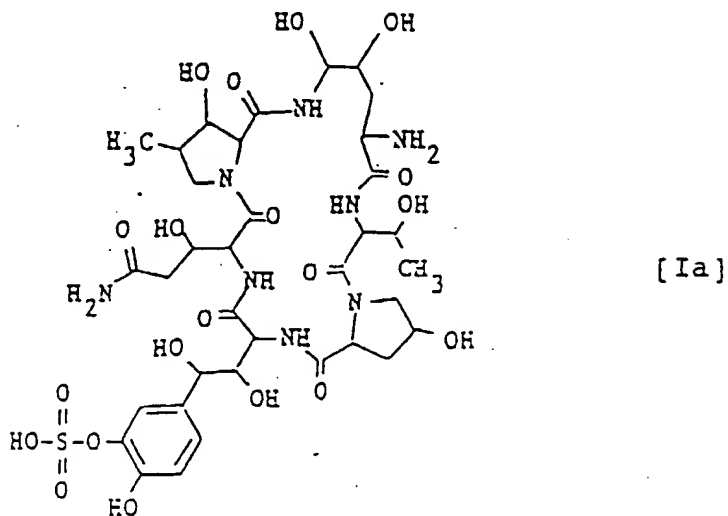
dans laquelle R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup>, R<sup>3</sup> et R<sup>4</sup> sont chacun tels que définis dans la revendication 1,

ou un de ses sels, qui comprend :

i) le fait de soumettre un composé [II] répondant à la formule :

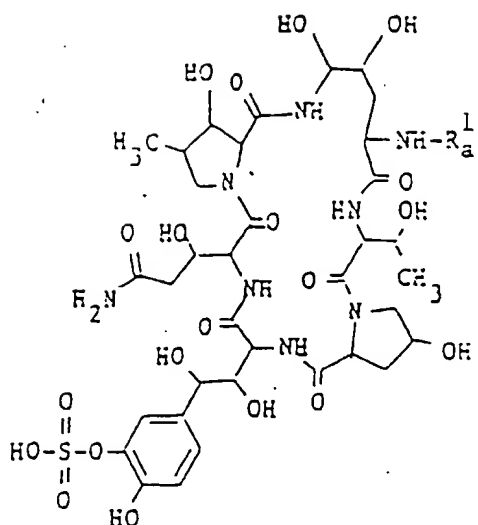


ou un de ses sels,  
à une réaction d'élimination du groupe N-acyle, pour donner un composé répondant à la formule [Ia] :



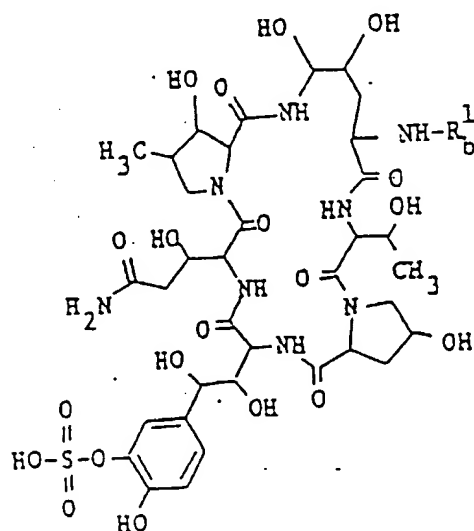
ou un de ses sels, ou

ii) le fait de soumettre un composé [Ia] ou un de ses sels ainsi obtenu à une réaction d'acylation, pour donner un composé répondant à la formule [Ib] :



[Ib]

dans laquelle  $R_a^1$  est un groupe acyle à l'exclusion du groupe palmitoyle ou un de ses sels, ou  
 iii) le fait de soumettre un composé [Ic] répondant à la formule :

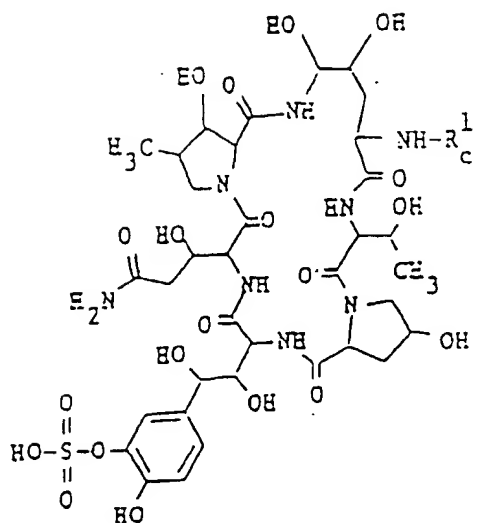


[Ic]

dans laquelle

$R_b^1$  est un groupe phényl(alcanoyle en  $C_1$  à  $C_6$ ) qui a un groupe alcoxy en  $C_7$  à  $C_{20}$  et un groupe amino protégé ou un groupe naphtyl(alcanoyle en  $C_1$  à  $C_6$ ) qui a un groupe alcoxy en  $C_7$  à  $C_{20}$  et amino protégé,

ou un de ses sels, à une réaction d'élimination du groupe protecteur du groupe amino, pour donner un composé [Id] répondant à la formule :



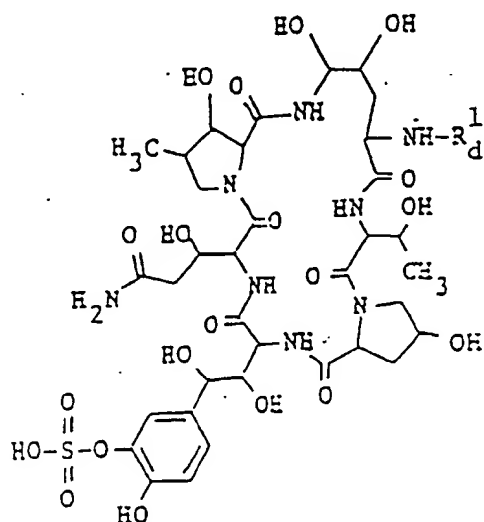
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dans laquelle

$R_c^1$  est un groupe phényl(alcanoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> et un groupe amino, ou un groupe naphtyl(alcanoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> et un groupe amino,

ou un de ses sels, ou

iv) le fait de faire réagir un composé répondant à la formule [Ie] :

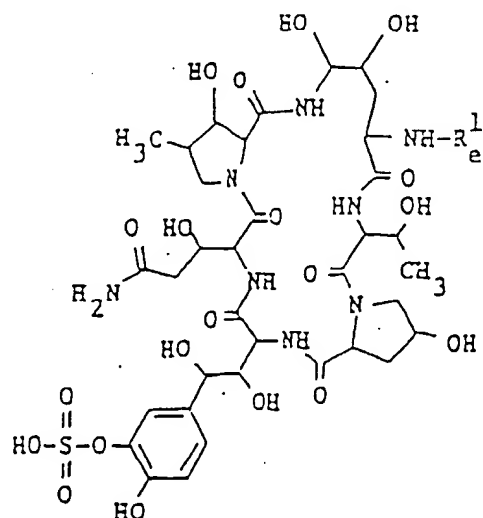


[ Ie ]

dans laquelle

$R_d^1$  est un groupe halo(alcanoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>),

ou un de ses sels, avec une pyridinethione qui peut avoir un groupe alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>, ou un de ses sels, pour donner un composé répondant à la formule [If] :



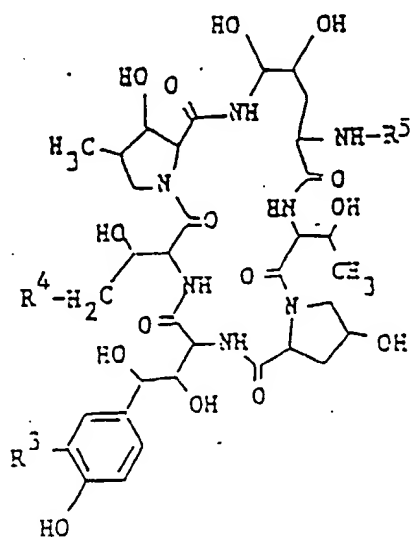
[ If ]

dans laquelle

R<sub>e</sub><sup>1</sup> est un groupe pyridylthio(alcanoyle en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui peut avoir un groupe alkyle en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub>,

ou un de ses sels, ou

v) le fait de soumettre un composé répondant à la formule [iv] :



[ IV ]

dans laquelle

R<sup>3</sup> et R<sup>4</sup> sont chacun tels que définis ci-dessus, et

R<sup>5</sup> est un groupe acyle,

ou un de ses sels, à une réaction d'acylation pour donner un composé répondant à la formule [Ig] :



dans laquelle

$R^3$  et  $R^4$  sont chacun tels que définis ci-dessus,

$R_1^1$  est un groupe acyle, et

$R_a^2$  est un groupe acyloxy,

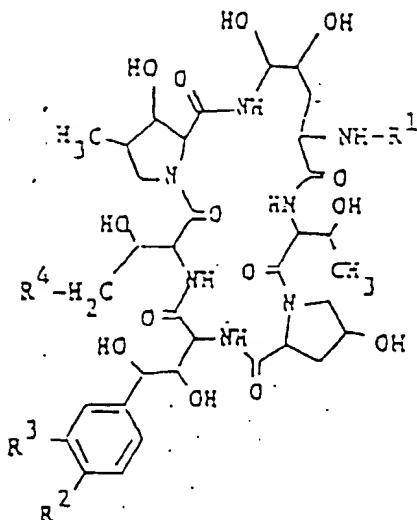
ou un de ses sels.

12. Composition pharmaceutique qui comprend comme ingrédient actif un composé selon la revendication 1 ou un de ses sels pharmaceutiquement acceptables, en mélange avec un support ou excipient pharmaceutiquement acceptable.
13. Utilisation d'un composé selon la revendication 1 ou d'un de ses sels pharmaceutiquement acceptables pour la fabrication d'un médicament pour le traitement ou la prévention de maladies infectieuses.
14. Composé selon la revendication 1 et un de ses sels pharmaceutiquement acceptables pour l'utilisation comme médicament.
15. Utilisation d'un composé selon la revendication 1 ou d'un de ses sels pharmaceutiquement acceptables pour la fabrication d'un médicament.

**Revendications pour les Etats contractants suivants : ES, GR**

1. Procédé de préparation d'un polypeptide répondant à la formule générale suivante :





dans laquelle

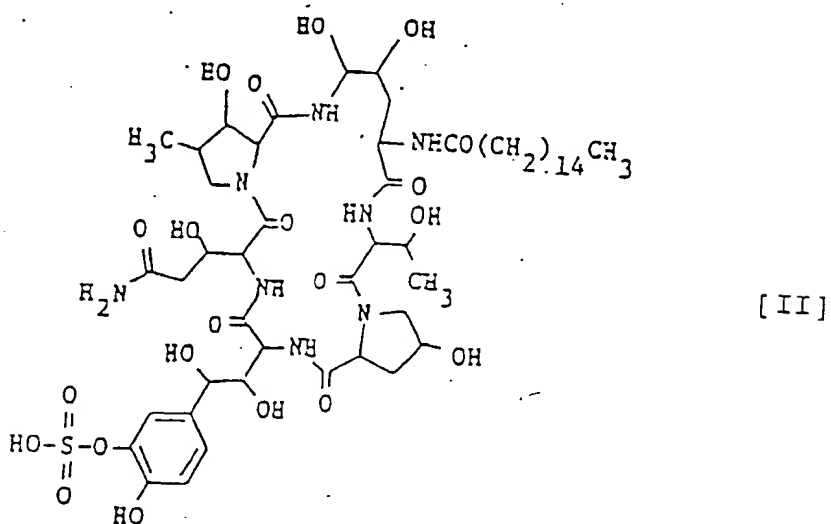
- $R^1$  est un atome d'hydrogène ou un groupe acyle,
- $R^2$  est un groupe hydroxy,
- $R^3$  est un groupe hydroxysulfonyloxy, et
- $R^4$  est un atome d'hydrogène ou un groupe carbamoyle,

sous réserve que :

- $R^1$  ne soit pas un groupe palmitoyle lorsque  $R^2$  est un groupe hydroxy,
- $R^3$  soit un groupe hydroxysulfonyloxy, et
- $R^4$  soit un groupe carbamoyle,

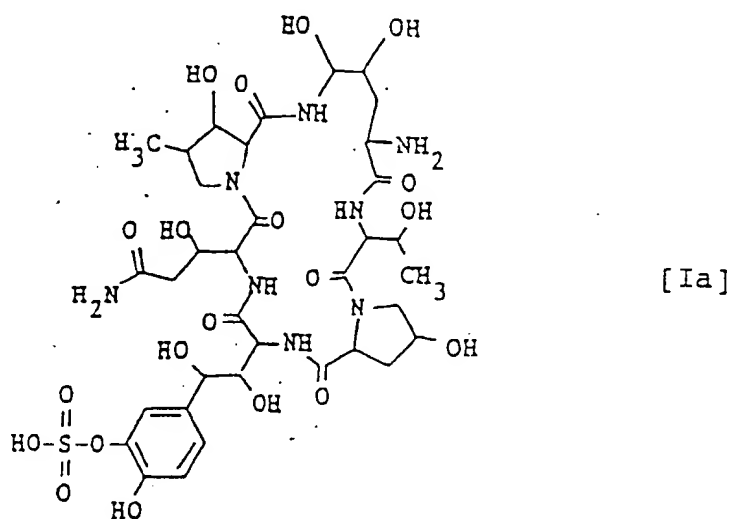
et un de ses sels pharmaceutiquement acceptables.

i) le fait de soumettre un composé [II] répondant à la formule :



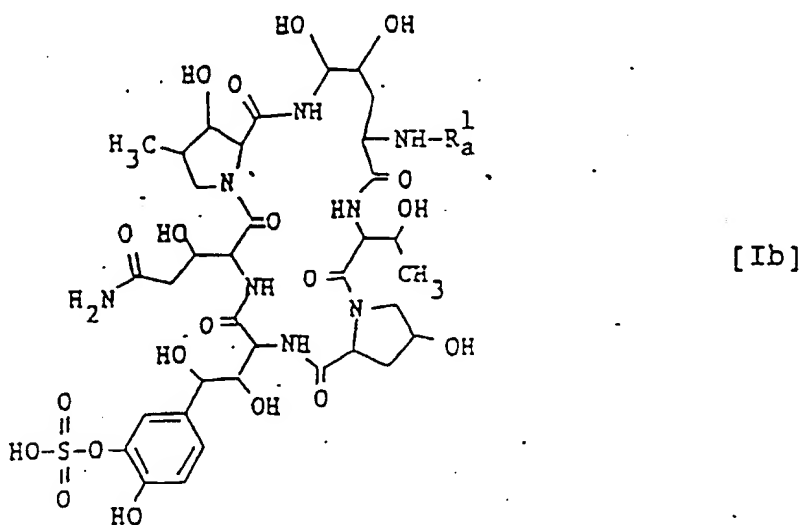
ou un de ses sels,

à une réaction d'élimination du groupe N-acyle, pour donner un composé répondant à la formule [Ia] :



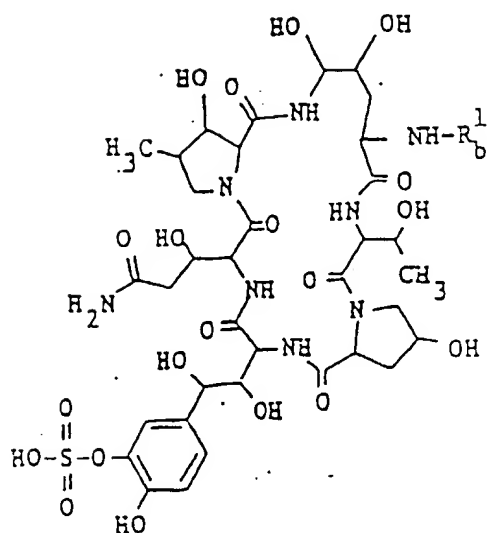
ou un de ses sels, ou

ii) le fait de soumettre un composé [Ia] ou un de ses sels ainsi obtenu à une réaction d'acylation, pour donner un composé répondant à la formule [Ib] :



dans laquelle  $\text{R}_a^1$  est un groupe acyle à l'exclusion du groupe palmitoyle ou un de ses sels, ou

iii) le fait de soumettre un composé [Ic] répondant à la formule :

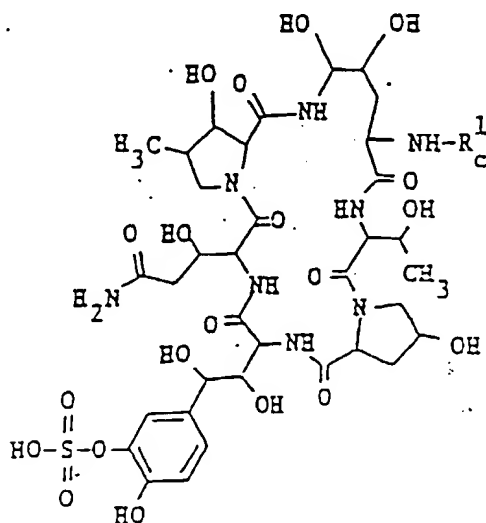


[Ic]

dans laquelle

$R_b^1$  est un groupe phényl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> et un groupe amino protégé ou un groupe naphtyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> et amino protégé,

ou un de ses sels, à une réaction d'élimination du groupe protecteur du groupe amino, pour donner un composé [Id] répondant à la formule :



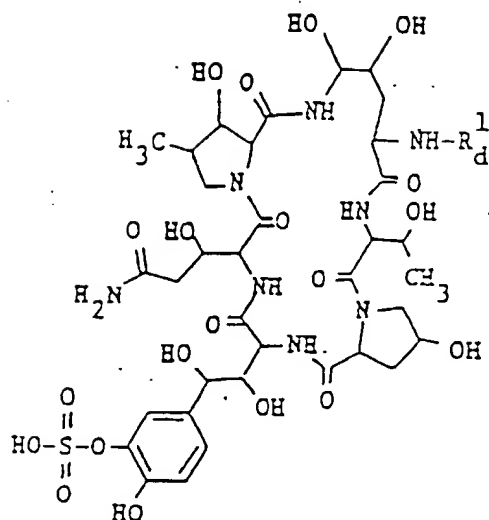
[Id]

dans laquelle

$R_c^1$  est un groupe phényl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> et un groupe amino, ou un groupe naphtyl(alcanoyl en C<sub>1</sub> à C<sub>6</sub>) qui a un groupe alcoxy en C<sub>7</sub> à C<sub>20</sub> et un groupe amino,

ou un de ses sels, ou

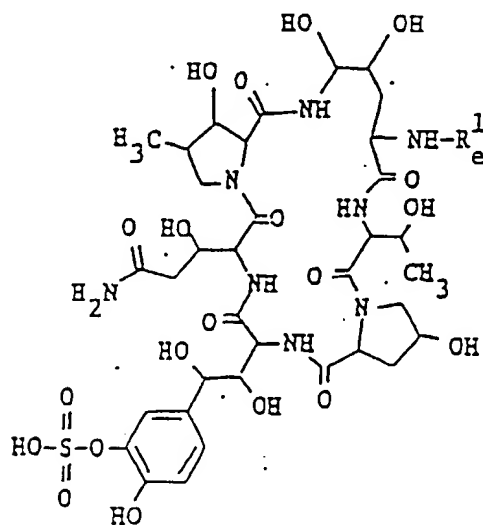
iv) le fait de faire réagir un composé répondant à la formule [Ie] :



dans laquelle

$R_d^1$  est un groupe halo(alcanoyle en  $C_1$  à  $C_6$ ),

ou un de ses sels, avec une pyridinethione qui peut avoir un groupe alkyle en  $C_7$  à  $C_{20}$ , ou un de ses sels, pour donner un composé répondant à la formule [If] :

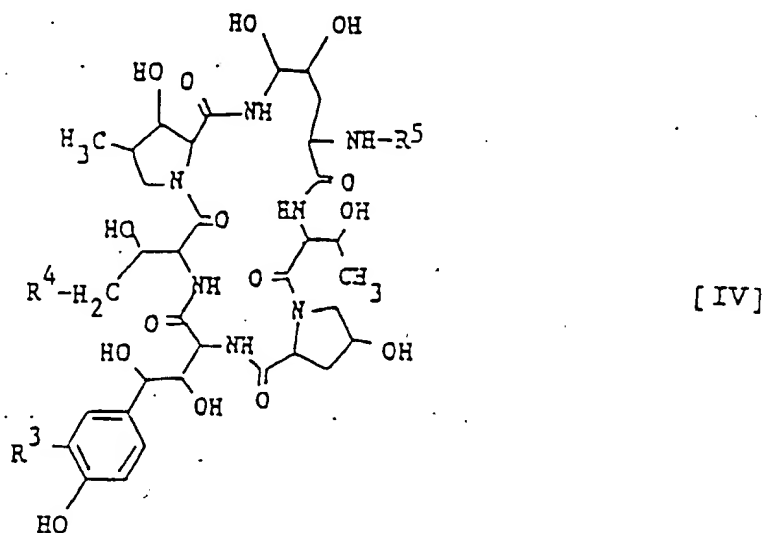


dans laquelle

$R_e^1$  est un groupe pyridylthio(alcanoyle en  $C_1$  à  $C_6$ ) qui peut avoir un groupe alkyle en  $C_7$  à  $C_{20}$ ,

ou un de ses sels, ou

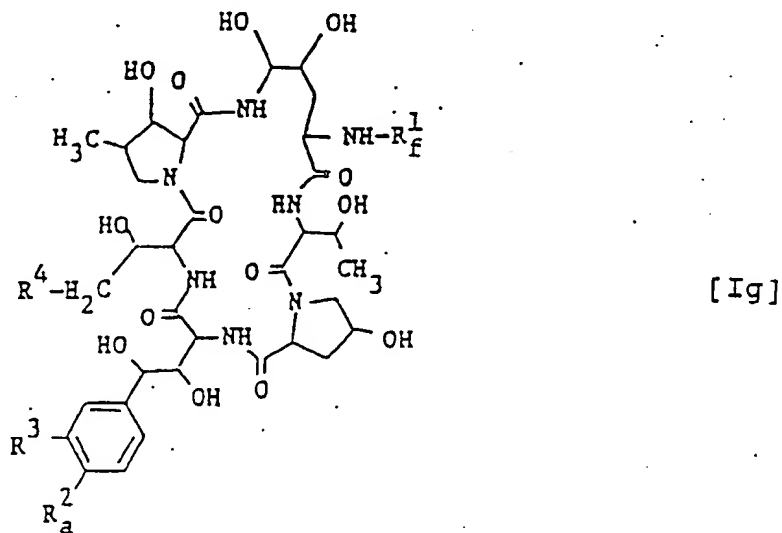
v) le fait de soumettre un composé répondant à la formule [IV] :



dans laquelle

$R^3$  et  $R^4$  sont chacun tels que définis ci-dessus, et  
 $R^5$  est un groupe acyle,

ou un de ses sels, à une réaction d'acylation pour donner un composé répondant à la formule [Ig] :



dans laquelle

$R^3$  et  $R^4$  sont chacun tels que définis ci-dessus,  
 $R^1_f$  est un groupe acyle, et  
 $R^2_a$  est un groupe acyloxy,

ou un de ses sels.

2. Variante du procédé selon la revendication 1, qui comprend le fait de mélanger le composé préparé conformément à la revendication 1 avec un support ou excipient pharmaceutiquement acceptable.